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HONGKONG, FRIDAY, 29TH SEPTEMBER, 1871.

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號九十月九英 港香

PRICE \$21 PER MONTH

Arcivals:

Sept. 28, MANIKA, Span. str.; 510, Abaroa, Manila 23rd Sept., General.-LAND-STEIN & CO. Sept. 28, BEHAR, Brit. str., 1,090, Blake, Shanghai 23rd September, General.-P & O. Co. Sept. 28, FORMOSA, North German bk., 270

Paulsen, from Whampon. - MELCHERS | A. Joost, Eaq. Sept. 28, Tordenskjold, Dan. fri., Lund,

Sept. 28, Vanus, str., for Saigon, &c. Sept. 28, Formosa, str., for Swatow, &c. Seit. 28, Twee Gebroaders, for Nchwang. Sept. 28, Migano, for Newchwang. Sept. 28, VESTA, for Newchwang.

AT THE HARROUR MASTER'S OFFICE, 28TH SEPTEMBER. Neville, for Sourabaya.

The following passengers proceed by P. & O. Co.'s steamship Orissa, to-day, at noon,-For Singapore. Messrs. T. W. Stevens, E Stevens, B. K. Eraues, child and servant, Capt.

J. Grange. For Galle,-Mr. R. Y. Bevan, For Madras,-1 Native Officer, For Bombay. -- 8 Native Grooms.

Mr. Coare, Capt. S. H. Jessen. For Southampton.-Mrs. Healey and child, Mrs. Stacy and child. For Brindisi .- Messrs, Newman and F. Schonfield.

Reports.

The Spanish steamship Manila, from Manila

The Danish frigate Tordenskjold, from Amoy on 26th September, reports experienced fresh N.E. monscon.

Auction Sale To-day.

LANE, ORAWFORD & Co. Sundry Articles.

HONGKONG CRICKET CLUB.

THE opening game of the season (XI. the 30th September, commencing at 11 Am.

MONDAY next, the 2nd October. Members wishing to be present at the Dinner, are requested to communicate with the Secretary not later than 7 P.M. on the 80th Septem-M. S. TONNOCHY.

Hon. Secretary. 6d 1644 Hongkong, 27th September, 1871 TENDER FOR FUNDS ON BOTTOMRY.

outfits, to enable the said vessel to proceed to Sea and execute her voyage, viz: : hence to Macao in Ballast, and from there with Emigrants' to Callao, (Beru). Proposals for the advance of above sum will be received at the office of the undersigned until 2nd October, 1871, st 4 o'clock P.M. The right is reserved to reject each and all proposals.

10d 1617. Hongkong, 22nd September, 1871.

ROSE & Co. HAVE landed, ex "Overland Mail" and S. S. "Lorne," the following Choice and Well Selected Goods for the Opening Season, New COSTUMES. Bordered BATISTE.

Fringed SERGES. CHAMBERTINE. Fancy Dress MATERIAL.

TARLATANS and GRENADINES. New Shades in Moire ANTIQUE and SILKS Printed FLANNELS. Plain and Fancy Woollen HOSIERY. Kid and Cloth GLOVES.

Muslin and Lace SETS. HATS, FLOWERS, and FEATHERS. The New CORSET. Ladien' and Children's UNDEROLOTHING CHIGNONS and FRISSETS.

Striped SHIRTINGS. Ladies' and Children's BOOTS and SHOES Fancy COATINGS. WITNEYS.

THE General MEETING of Subscribers to the above Institution has been adjourned late H.B.M. Steam Corvette "Muting," as she to SUND! The 8th proximo, at I P.M., at the now lies, ready for sea, in the port of Yoko-Saloon of the "Dom Pedro V." Theatre. The hama, with Sails, Bigging, Anchors, Chains, attendance of subscribers is solicited. VISCONDE DO CERCAL.

3w 1579 Macao, 18th September, 1871. GEORGE GLASSE. FIVE YEARS MANAGER TO KINSPORD & Co., PICCADILLY LONDON, AND 28, PLACE

TENDOME, PARIS). INGLISH AND FOREIGN CHEMIST VICTORIA DISPENSARY, HONGRONG AND YUKOHAMA. SHIPS' MEDIOINE-ORESTS SUPPLIED AND REFITTED.

of 2036 Hongkong, 3rd September, 1867. DOARD and LODGING for a Single Gen-D tleman, quite private; apply at No. 59, Wyndham Street. tf 1520 - Hongkong, 6th September, 1871. · CIGARS.

ANILA and Cavite CIGARS and OHE-ROOTS of all kinds for Sale, by 1m 1626 Hongkong, 25th September, 1871. NOTICE.

THENDERS are required for the construction of a GRANITE DOOK at Koyloon, Measuring 400 feet long. 80 ,, wide.

24 . deep. plication to the undersigned, W. B. SPRATT & Co.,

Banks.

TONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION. SUBSCRIBED CAPITAL-5.000.000c (Dollars.

Court of Directors:-Chairman-Hon. R. Rowett. Deputy Chairman-T. Prus, Esq. & Belilios, Eaq. Julius Menko, Esq. 8. D. Masroon, Enq. G. F. Woller, Req.

Hongkong-James Greig, Esq., Chief Manager. Shanghai-David McLean, Esq. London Bankers—London and County Bank.

HONGKONG. INTEREST ALLOWED. On Current Deposit Accounts at the rate of per cent. per annum on the daily balance.

LOCAL BILLS DISCOUNTED. granted on approved Securities, and every description of Banking and Exchange ousiness transacted.

America, China and Japan. JAMES GREIG, Chief Manayer. Offices of the Corporation, No. 1, Queen's Road East. Hongkong, 9th September, 1871.

MERMAN BANK OF LONDON (Limited).

DIRECTORS: FREDERICE RODEWALD, London. THOMAS SELLAB, London. RUNOLPH SULZBACH, Frankfort-on-the-Main

I. JOSEPH SPEYER, Frankfort-ou-the-Main. Managing Director-OTTO NESTLE. Assistant Manager-LEOPOLD BONN. Auditor-George Thomas Brooking. Bankers-THE LONDON JOINT STOCK

transactions appertaining to Foreign banking | next. Bartholomew House, Bartholomew-lane, Lon-6m 1070 June 24

don, E.C., April, 1871

NOTICE.

THE undermentioned Local Insurance Offices are prepared to issue Policies, covering Merchandize by first-class Steamers to London via Suez Canal, at the following rates of pre-

From Canton.... Tea, 21/, 11/, Silk, 2 /, 11/,

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co. General Agents, Canton Insurance Office. N. J. EDE. Secretary, Union Insurance Society of Canton.

J. KENNARD DAVIS, Agent, North China Insurance Company. RUSSELL & Co., Agents, Yangless Insurance Association of Shanghas.

Company, Limited. WM. PUSTAU & Co.,

OLYPHANT & Co... General Agents, Chinese Insurance Company Limited.

COMPANY, LIMITED.

REDUCTION IN RATES ON CHINESE RISKS. M and after the 15th instant, the minimum

rate for the insurance against Pire of Chinese Premises in this Colony will be reduced to Two per cent. per annum. JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., General Managers. Hongkong Fire Insurance Co., Limited

tf 1997 Hongkong, 14th November, 1870. VICTORIA FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY OF HONGKONG, LIMITED.

THIS Company, with its Head Office at L Hongkong, and Agencies at the various Treaty Ports in China and Japan, is prepared to issue Policies of Insurance, at the current AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co.,

rates of Premium at the respective places. Secretaries. tf 557 Hongkong, 1st April, 1871.

JUST PUBLISHED. THE CUSTOM HOUSE TARIFF for the PHILIPPINES, of 1st July, 1871, A

the office of this paper. Price \$1.00.

1m 1569 Hongkong, 14th September, 1871. FOR SALE. THE British Screw Steamship

" OHIEFTAIN," Boats, &c. She is of 882 Tons, Builders' Measurement, and carries two direct acting horizontal Engines of 200 Horse Power. Also, 5 Steel Rifled Guns, with Ammunition

to suit, which can be sold separately, if required, to suit purchasers. For further particulars, apply to Mesers. FINDLAY, RICHARDSON & Co.,

lm 1478] THE BORNEO CO. LIMITED. NOTICE OF REMOVALE

ROSE & Co. have temporarily REMOVED their Business Premises from the Corner of Pottinger and Wellington to that of D'Aguilar and Wellington Streets, opposite Club Chambers, the Premises formerly occupied by Mr. A. BOYER. 4f 1532 Hongkong, 7th September, 1871,

DISTRICT GRAND LODGE OF CHINA. IT is hereby notified that the Regular An-L nuai Communication of the District Grand Lodge of China (postponed from the Spring of this year), will be held at the FREEMASONS' HALL, SHANGHAL, upon the EVENING OF

FRIDAY, 20th October, at seven for eight o'clook precisely. By Command of the R. W. D. G. M. CHARLES E. ENDICOTT.

D. G. Secretary. tf 1574 Shanghai, 5th September, 1871. ...

Intimations.

THE CHINESE INSURANCE COMPANY (LIMITED). CAPITAL-1.500,000 DOLLARS, IN 1.500 SHARES OF 1,000 DOLLARS EACH.

PAID UP CAPITAL 300,000 DOLLARS. W. H. Condit, Esq., (Messrs. Smith, Archer

& Oo.) E. R. BELILIOS, Esq. GEO. CRICHTON, Esq., (The Borneo Company,

A. HITCHCOCK, Esq., (Messrs. Olyphant & And Two Chinese merchants to be selected by the native shareholders after the allotment of shares.

Bankere :

THE CHARTERED MERCANTILE BANK OF INDIA, LONDON & CHINA. HEAD OFFICE-HONGKONG.

General Agents-Mesers. OLYPHANY & Co. Agents in London,-MESSRS. FORBES. FORBES & Co., No. 9. King William Street.

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	H. A. PETERSEN & C
	OBNEO CO. LIMITED.
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	& Co.
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Canton	OLYPHANT & Co.
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Chefoo	J. M. CANEY & Co.

Hankow EVANS & RAINBOW. SMITH. BAKER & Co. Hiogo Kinking..... R. FRANCIS & Co. FINDLAY RICHARDSON Manile..... HOLME, RINGER & Co. Nagasaki Ningpo.... J. S. HUDSON & Co.

SANDILANDS, BUTTERT A. G. Hogg & Co. San Francisco, WM. N. OLMSTED, Esq. Shanghai Mosers. OLYPHANT & Co. THE BORNEO CO. LIMITED Mesura, DIRCHS & Co. JOHN HANNA, Esq. Mesars, SMITH, ARCHER & Co.

THE Company having been Registered under the "Companies Ordinance, 1865," and its shares allotted, will be prepared to grant Policies on Marine Risks to all parts of the World, at current rates, on and after let May

In addition to the usual brokerage, Thirty three and one third per centum (331%) of the prefits of the Company will be distributed annually as a Bonus among Contributing Shareholders, proportionately to the amount of promia paid by them.

OLYPHANT & Co., General Agents. tf 707 Hongkong, 25th April, 1871.

NORTH-CHINA INSURANCE COMPANY. ESTABLISHED 1ST JANUARY, 1863. CAPITAL SH. TES. 1,500,000 IN: 1,00 SHARES OF TLS. 1,500 EACH.

SUBSCRIBED CAPITAL SH. TLS. 300,000 CHAIRS, and COUCHES. OR TLS: 300 PER SHARE. Provisional Committee : E. H. LAVERS, Esq., Chairman, Messra, Gilman F. POETER, Esq., Messrs. Gibb, Livingston &

E. C. SMITH, Ecq., Mesers. Turner & Co. J. L. MILLER, Elaq., Mesers. J. Jurvie & Co. SCHROBES, Esq., Mesers, Textor & Co. G. PEMBERTON, Eag., Messia. Adams Bell & Co.

HEAD OFFICE, SHANGHAL

GENERAL MEETING was held at Shanghai on the lat May 1871, and it was resolved to form a Company for a further period of three years from 1st January, 1872, to be called the "North China Insurance Company," and the Directors of the present Company 1869-

At an adjourned meeting of intending share-bolders, beld on 22nd May, 1871, a draft Prospectus was submitted, and a resolution passed approving of the basis upon which the Provisional Committee proposed to reorganise the

The Net profits of the Company will be divided amongst the shareholders in the fol lowing proportions, viz --ONE THIBD (384"/.) to shareholders rateably in proportion to the number of shares.

Two Triebs (661%) to shareholders rateably in proportion to the Net Premia contributed by each Notice is hereby given that applications shares in the underwentioned form will received at the offices of the Company in Shang-

bai, or through the Agents at the several ports, until 30th September, and from London until 31st October 1971. Applications for shares from persons not resident in Shanghai must be accompanied by Power of Attorney to their Agents to sign th Deed of Settlement, and represent them in

Shanghai, 27th May, 1871. FORM OF APPLICATION FOR RHARPS. To the Provisional Committee of the NORTH CHINA INSUBANCE COMPANY:

matters connected with the Company.

(Term 1872-74.) will allot to above Company, and Shares or any less number you may allot to portunity, addressed to and agree to pay the first Call of Tis. 300 per Share, and all subsequent Calls, ti 1476 and to subscribe the Deed of Settlement whenever required to do no.

Gentlemen. Your obedient Bervant,

Forms of application for shares can be obtained at the Head Office, or by application to the Agents of the Company. tt 974 Shangbai, 29th May, 1871.

THE CHINA FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED. HEAD OFFICE-HONGKONG.

GENCIES at all the Treaty Ports of A. China and Japan, and at Singapore, Saigon and Penang. Risks accepted, and Policies of Insurance granted at the rates of Premium current at the above-mentioned Ports. JAS. B. COUGHTRIE.

Hongkong, 5th April, 1871, HONGKONG FIRE INSURANCE. COMPANY, LIMITED.

ADJUSTMENT OF BONUS FOR THE YEAR 1870 or alterations will be subsequently admitted. is therefore given. JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.,

General Managers tf 1310 Hongkong, let August, 1871.

Auction. PUBLIC AUCTION.

GENERAL WEEKLY SALE T ANE, CRAWFORD & Co. will sell by next. Public Auction, in their Sales Room, Queen's Road.

THIS DAY. the 29th September, 1871, at noon,-An Invoice of OLLMAN'S STORES, com prising PICKLES, SAUCES, SALAD OIL TART FRUITS, JAM., JELLIES, RAI SINS, CURRANTS, Breakfast BACON, OATHEAL, Oxford SAUSAGES, CAPERS HERMANN MELCHERS, Esq., (Messrs. Molobers | OLIVES, MACARONI, CHEESE, &c., &c.,

> MUSKETS RIFLES and REVOLVERS, NEEDLES. Key RINGS, RAZORS, one Cank Superior BUTTER, &c., &c. A quantity of Wire RIGGING, CHAIN, Old ROPE. &c. 10 Renna Blue WRAPPING PAPER. Brown do. 1642 Hongkong, 27th September, 1871.

ENGRAVINGS. English Government

THE Undersigned has received instructions to tell by Public Auction, TO-MORROW.

FUBLIC AUCTION.

the 30th September, 1871, at 11 o'clook A.M., At the Residence of Mesers. PRABUE, GALL & PUMP and Rigging LEATHER. Co., Praya, -The whole of the HOUSEHOLD FURNI-TURE, comprising :--Dining TABLE, SIDEBOARD, CHAIRS WHATNOT, Ice OHEST, BEDSTEAD, English - Mahogany WARDROBE, Dressing

SOFA, CROCKERY WARE, GLASSWARE do. do.

A Semi-Grand PIANO. 1 6-oared BOAT, with AWNING, &c. TREES OF SALE.—Cash before delivery in Mexican Dollars weighed at 7.1.7. All Lote, Peacock's Patent COMPOSITION. with all faults and errors of description, at purchasers risk on the fall of the hammer.

J. M. ARMSTRONG.

Auctioner. 1648 Hongkong, 28th September, 1871. PUBLIC AUGTION.

THE Undersigned; has received instructions to sell by Public Austion, TO-MORBOW the 80th instant, at noon, At the Godowns of G. F. MACLEAN, Esq.,

Burd's Lane,-(Account of Concerted), 24 Bales Bombay COTTON YARN. 10 Bales COTTON. Ez " Annie Henderson."

And, alsa, 20 Bales Bombay COTTON. (All more or less Damaged by Sea Water). TERMS OF SALE. Cash before delivery in Mexican dollars weighed at 7.1.7.

H. N. MODY. 1660 Hongkong, 29th September, 1871. FURNITURE SALE.

I ANE, CRAWFORD & Co. will sell by 1 Public Auction. TO MORROW, the 30th September, 1871, at 2 P.M.

In their Sales Room, Queen's Road,-Handdome OHAIRS, Arm CHAIRS, and COUCHES of Richly Corved Bombay Black-wood: I Mahogany BUREAU, ESCRITOIRE, GILT CORNICES, ENGRAVINGS, BED-STEADS, NOVELS, and WORKS, of RE. FERENCE, Drawing Room OHAIRS, Arm A good PIANO, by Collard and Collard, with a large Assortanent of MUSIC.

A Set of Single Pony HARNESS. A very Choice Assortment of Crystal Flower STANDS CENTRE PIECES and TUM-BLERS. A Gold WATOH with CHAIN and CHARMS, and a Gentlemen's SUITE of JEWELRY, Gold and Coral 31 Dozen Hun's PORT, 2 Dozen very old Hennessey's BRANDY 3 Dozen CHAM-PAGNE, DUC DE MONTEBELLO, 9 Bottles

very Choice LIQUEURS. A few Specimens of your old Chinese POR-OELAIN, a few being of the Ming Dynasty. 1643 Hongkong, 27th September, 1871.

GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION. REWARD OF 250 DOLLARS.

THEREAS on Monday, the 28th instirnt V. atosbout 7 P.m. a Robbery with Violence was committed spon Mr. Grongs B. TOMLIN, First Clerk in the Surveyor General's Department, near the junction of Caine Road and Arbuthnot Road. It is hereby notified, that a REWARD of \$250 will be paid to any Person or Persons, who shall give such information to the Police as will lead to the apprehension and conviction of the guilty Parties. The above Beward will be apportioned at the discretion of His Excellency the Lieutenant-Governor, in the event of such information being supplied by more than one Person.

A Free Pardon will be granted to any Person

implicated in the crime, who may give such information provided he be not the setual perpetrator thereof. By Command, J. CABDINER AUSTIN. Colonial Secretary's Office, Hongkong, 29th August, 1871. Ltf 1471

MEATS. THE Undersigned begs to inform the Residents of Honokong that he will supply Prime Joints of BEEF, VEAL, and MUT. TON, on the most reasonable terms. Corned Bounds, Humps, and Tongues always on hand GRNTLEMEN, hereby request that you and will be sent addressed by any of the coast Shares in the steambre freight free. Any persons requiring agree to accept such joints will please send their orders by first op-

> L. HUTCHINGS. Compradore, Ewalow. M. B. WM. KUPEKE having retired from our firm by mutual consent, his interest and responsibility in the same ceased on the 31st December, 1870; that of Mr. A. GRAND-BONAZ expired by his death on the 18th June.

Mr. E. Salregoun bus this day been admittod a partner in our firm. BBHRE & Co. Im 1514 Saigon, lat September, 1871.

CIEALED TENDERS, in duplicate, of Bank Bills, payable in Mexican Dollars at Yo. kohama, in exphange for Mexican Dollars at 7.1.7, at Hongkong, will be received by the undersigned until Noon on MONDAY, the 2nd Proximo, to the extent of \$50,000.

O. K. CLEEVE.

Andstont Controller.

H. M.'s Treasury Office. Hongkong, 26th September, 1871. [48 1636 THE Business of the Undersigned shop has been established since the 3rd year of Tung chi, and Jim-tai was hitherto employed as manager in the shop till the 10th year of the north before the 1st day of October, 1871, to Tung-chi, when a final settlement of all ac-SHAREHOLDERS in the above Company counts, including the bonus, was made between bim and bis employers, and from that time his with a List of their contributions for the year connexton with the abop ceased. It is agreed ending flat Becember last, in order that the that all money due to the shop is to be collect. distribution of 20 % of the nett profits reserved off by the masters of the undersigned shop, who clock precisely.

for Contributors may be arranged. Returns will not hold thurselves responsible for debta

All Master Masons are cordially invited to not rendered prior to the 31st October next, whatever contracted by the mid Jim tai. With will be adjusted by the Company, and no claims a view of spoiding future disputes this notice A

No. 12, Webster Bangar, of August next. 1w 1638 Hongkong, 26th September, 1871.

Intimations.

VIUTORIA REGATTA CLUB. TVHH Eighteenth Annual Regatta will take A. place on the 22nd and 23rd November

the undersigned. H. J. H. TRIPP. Hon. Secretary. tf 1589 Hongkong, 18th September, 1871. FOR SALE, EX "NEW ARRIVALS."

Club are requested to send in their names to

N INVOICE of first quality Hoth's RUSSIAN ROPE, compating of :-stranded ROPE, from 71-inches downwards

LINE, HAMBROLINE, 2 and 3 YARN SPUNYARN. Best English-made White LINES, viz.: Hand

LINES, Fishing LINES.

Lead LINES, Signal HALYARDS, LOG-

BURRS. TABLE, WASHSTAND and SERVICE, India Rubber PACKING.

Canvas HOSE.

Brown Tarred SHEATHING FELT.

SOFT SOAP, for Engine purposes.

Wire Tube BRUSHES, assorted sixes, Paint BRUSHES!

White Brothers' best Portland CEMENT KEROSINE OIL.

LAMMERT, ATKINSON & Co. tf 1169 Hongkoug, 10th July, 1871. LANE, ORAWFORD & CO.'S NEW GOODS,

em recent arrivale. CAPE and CANAL

Brass and Iron BEDSTEADS. Sheathing FELT. Boiler FELT. Champagne TUMBLERS.

Office BOOKS. Christy's HATS, NEWEST STYLES. Pony HARNESS. WAVERLEY and other COAL VASES.

Orioketing MATERIEL. Shadowless LAMPS. Dawson's BOOTS.

India Rubber HOSE.

Copying Press INKSTANDS The NEWEST SHAPES in HATS. Sheet RUBBER.

Fancy Door MATS. BELLOWS. Cartridge CASES. WADLING. Cartridge BELTS. KINAHAN'S LL.

GLENLIVAT. THE LATEST HATS.

CONTRACTOR STATE Register STOVES MANTEL PIÈCES Billiard CUES. Bacquet BATS. Courier BAGS. Travelling BAGS. Calendar PAPER WEIGHTS. The Gladstone BAG. CABINETS of GAMES.

Specimen GLASSES. PRIKNIVE

GLOVES. PENCIL LIGHTS, a Novelty.

Lunckeon TRAYS. Egg STEAMERS. VERT FINEST CAVITE CIGARS.

Or TONGUES, Very Choice. REVOLVERS. PLANOS, new and second band.

Choice BURGUNDIES. Sparkling MOSELLE. HATS, FARRICHARLE.

14d Hongkong, 25th September, 1871. HANDSOME PHAETON with hood, suitable for Single Horse or a Pair. Very fine Manila CIGARS, per box or per LANE, CRAWFORD & Co. of 1414 Hongkong, 21st August 1871.

DENTISTRY

shove estate are requested to send them

COLLING, D.D.S. No. 7, Arbidhnot Road, HONGKONG. 12 1219 Hougkong, 17th July, 1871. HUGH PIERCY AUSTIN.

the undersigned. J. GARDINER AUSTIN, Colonial Beardasy. tf 816 Rongkong, 11th May, 1871. DENT & CO.B ESTATE.

admitted by the Trustees, will be paid at their Office, No. 7, Pedder's Hill, on the First Day Arbroath. if 1100 Hongkong, 27th June, 1871

FOURTH DIVIDEND of Two per cent.

Intimations. UNION INSURANCE SOCIETY, OF CANTON. NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

NTOTIUE is hereby given, that the Ordinary Gentlemen who are desirous of joining this half yearly MFETING of the Shareholders of the Society will be held at its Hend Office, Hongkong, THIS DAY, the 29th inst., at three o'clock p.m., for the purpose of receiving the report of the Directors together with a statement of accounts to 30th June last; By order of the Board,

Secretary: Viz.:-1524 Hongkong, 29th September, 1871. UNION INSURANCE SOCIETY, OF OANTON.

NOTICE. RATTLINE STUFF, HOUSE-LINE, MAR-THE Transfer Books of this Society with be closed from the 15th to the 29th instant, both days included, during which period no transfer of shares can be registered. By order of the Board,

> N. J. EDE. 83d 1525 Hongkong, 7th September, 1871 CHINA SEA. SAIGON AND STRAITS STEAMSHIP COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS. Copper TACKS, Copper Boat NAILS and THE Dividend for the half-year ending on the 30th June last, at the rate of 12 per Meeting of Shareholders held this day, will be instant, at the office of the Company, where gon in the course of the year 1872-73 for the

By order of the Board of Directors. AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co. tf 1584 Hongkong, 15th September, 1871.

THE HONGKONG PIER AND GODOWN COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE. THE First CALL of TWENTY-FIVE A LL CLAIMS against the French barque DOLLARS per Share on the Shares of A "NANCY," (lost on September 2nd) are the above named Company, is payable on the requested to be sent in to the FRENCH Con-Twenty-fifth day of September instant, at the SULATE on or before the 8th day of October HORGEONG AND SHANGHAY BANKING COR- next; and all Persons Indebted to the same

on the 25th day of September instant. N. B. DENNYS. Act. Secretary, 17d 1571 Hongkong, 18th September, 1871.

NOTICE.

VICTORIA FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY OF HONGKONG, LIMITED. ADJUSTMENT OF BONUS FOR THE YEAR 1870 CHAREHOLDERS in the above Company are requested to hand to the undersigned before the 31st October next, a List of their Contributions for the year suded Sist December, 1870, in order that the distribution of 20% of the nett Profits reserved for Contributors, may be ascertained. Should any Shareholders fail to make the returns above described, their

the Books of the Company. By order. AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co., 85d 1349 Hongkong, 8th August, 1871. INDO-CHINESE SUGAR COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

CHAREHOLDERS are hereby notified that

Accounts will be made up in conformity with

in accordance with the 36th Clause of the Articles of Association of the Company, the Third Call of Twelve Dollars and Fifty cents per share is payable on the 30th June current, at the Hongkond AND SHANGHAI BANKING

COBPORATION.

By Order. A. NOEL BLAKEMAN, tf 986 Hongkong, 8th June, 1871.

Interest at the rate of Twelve per cent. per

monum will be charged on all calls paid after

COMPANY, (LIMITED). SUBSCRIBED CAPITAL, £500,000, IN 25,000 SHARES OF £20 EACH.

THE GLOBE MARINE INSURANCE

CAPITAL PAID-UP, £100,000. THE Company combines, with all the usual advantages of other well-managed Marine Insurance Companies, distinctive features, which offer special inducements to Insurers. The Company's Articles of Association provide that Insurers shall have a Substantial Share in the profits of the business. Whenever the net profits in any year shall have sufficed to pay the Shareholders a dividend of 10 per cent. on their paid-up Capital, 25 per cent, of the surplus is to be distributed pro rate amongst such of the Insurers as have paid during the year £500

The Undereigned, having been appointed

agents in China for the above Company, are

prepared to grant policies covering marine

STEMSSEN & Co.

and upwards in premiums.

risks at current rates.

3m 1567 Hongkong, 14th September, 1871. cupied by Messrs. FLETOHES & Co. O THE "DAILY ADVERTISER." THE "DAILY ADVERTISER," will appear in a new form. Editorial comments on Passing Events (especially those affecting the mercantile interests of China residents) Local Brevities, and the usual Miscellanen of the ordinary newspaper, will have place in its columns, its specific character as a Shipping List and Advertising Medium being strictly ob-

The Subscription will, from the 2nd proximo. be \$5 (fire dollars) per quarter; monthly subscription \$2. Present subscribers will, however, receive their copies for the period already SM 22/27 - 6 Bales Paper. subscribed for without further charge. The Gratia Dopies will in future be discontinued to private individuals on shore. The Shipping in Harbour will be supplied as for-The Editorial department will be conducted

Business will be conducted as hitherto by H. P. O. LASSEN, Proprietor. No. 7 Pedders' Whart. Hongkong, September 28th, 1871. [1w 1855] "Jopan Mail" and " Japan Weekly Mail."

y Mr. N. B. Dennys, late Editor of the China

The Advertising, Shipping, and General

TANE, CRAWFORD & Co. having been 8. S. SUNDA, FROM SINGAPORE AND appointed agents for the two abovenamed newspapers, are prepared to receive Advertisements and Subscriptions for the same. Terms of Subscription, payable in advance: LL Persons having claims against the Japan Mail, \$15 per annum; Japan Weekly shove estate are requested to send them tf 122 Hongkong, 19th January, 1871.

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pour le service des Subsistances de la Marine,

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Departures.

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Clearances.

Imogen, for Saigon.

Passengers. Per Manila, str., from Manila,-2 Europeans, 2 Manilamen and 72 Chinese. Per Behar, str., from Shanghai .--Mesers, Ford, Stroubell, Easton, Petrie and Smith, 1 European, 1 Native and 1 Chinese.

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The Daily Press

Hongkong, September 29rg, 1871.

THE incident mentioned in Wednesday's paper in connection with the Customs, squeezing establishment at the entrance to this dence was taken of a seaman on board the harbour, brings the subject of the blockade now established round this port to the notice Tyburnic, and thinking it to be a water cash of the public in a manner which is in every he took no further notice of it. A scaman on sense of the word striking. That a foreign board the Lord Macaulay also gave evidence, shooting boat leaving Hongkong should be returned a verdict of "found drowned fired upon almost at the entrance to the harbour, is suggestive of something being little wrong in the regulations in force, and of the necessity for speedy action being taken. It is fortunate that nothing serious resulted in this case; but it is a question of some interest what the results would have been, had one of the gentlemen in the boat in question being seriously injured or killed. We sus- and boat to the Police Hulk, and he left the pect that the Customs' Station would not passengers and the fifth, eighth privery long have survived the accident; and soners there. He then took the seventh dewhat we have to point out is that the damage formed that they had nothing but rice on hoard done to trade by the system now permitted The seventh defendant then said that she got is equally unwarrantable, and would equally the things at 4.80 a.m. on the 26th from a justify strong measures being adopted to put bell then went, back, to the Police Hulk, and it down. As is observed by Banon DE took the sixth defendant into his boat, and MERITENS, such action as overhauling vessels | then went to a lighter of Mr. Hook's, laying leaving port would never be tolerated by any alongside the S. S. Venne, that the sixth and one European power from another; and is seventh defendants there pointed out the first, completely contrary to every principle of in- second, third, and fourth defendants as the ternational law. In respect to levying import persons who gave them the things. The whole: dues, the case stands in its strongest light, as ledge of the matter; he arrested them, and such duties are clearly only leviable when the brought them to the Police Halk. Yesterday. goods have been landed, and to stop the (Tuesday,) witness did not bring the licence of vessels on their entering the harbour, and to it was in the boat, though be did not ask for it. enforce these dues on them, is simply to The eighth defendant said that she was only a day, with some anxiety on the part of assume the right of levying taxes in Hong. few days in the bout. The sixth defendant said koug, which is the province only of the Go- gers said that they had engaged the boat, and vernment. Clearly, if such duties are to be were going on board a ship, they were bailed levied at all, they ought to go into the out, and he found out they were tailors. Colonial Exchequer. Then, too, with respect o'clock on the 26th he was on duty in a Police drug market. to export duties—that is what by the system | boat with the last witness. They noticed a of blockade are made export duties here, but sampan heavily lader pulling towards the what more properly speaking are import board the sampan; and found the thinks produties at the Chinese port to which the junk | duced. There were two men in the boat who is bound—it is altogether an assumption on seemed to be passengers, and the four last dethe part of the Chinese that all goods taken and the fifth, sixth and seventh defendants in junks from Hongkong are to be smuggled. were rowing. He asked where those things These goods pay at the port of entrance, and were got. The fifth and sixth defendants said because they do not pay dues at Canton, her ac ordingly, and she did not answer. He ninety miles off, it cannot be said that they asked her several times, and at last she haid the have evaded any just export duty. If the goods belonged partly to the two passengers On Calcutta. -Bank, Sdays eight 2211 fiscal system of the Chinese is so defective longed to her. He then asked her where the that they cannot levy their own duties at the passengers got the things, and she said from ports of entrance, that is an affair of theirs, a French brig, and that a Foreigner and not of ours. Let them improve their method The passengers then said that they had nothing of raising their revenue, and then no question to do with the things. Witness and the can arise. At all events it would not be difficult to come to an understanding which would put an end to any bona fide incon. veniences which may exist. But it is simply intolerable that the Chinese should be permitted to bring what is nothing less than coercion upon the Colony, by baving gunboats stationed at the entrance to the harbour, and by adopting such high-handed. measures as firing over boats who do not stop to be overhauled. The matter which has immediately called attention to this question is of much importance initself, and it is to be hoped it will be strictly investigated, and steps at once taken to bring the guilty parties to accoupt. If it be passed over, the greatest encouragement will be given to the Chinese at the Customs' Station to repeat such acts,

that serious complications will arise. The Daily News Tientsin correspondent states larceny. that there has been a serious disturbance at Tientein between French and German milors. | be arrived on board the John Adoms, he took Altercation, in a grog shop, with two sailors of the that the two men were passengers: the one from evasion - and attacked several Gormans, whom and some of the fine marked in Chinese Characthey wounded badly.

and the likelihood is that it will end in some

serious affair. If vessels belonging to resi-

deuts in this Colony are to be fired into on

leaving by the Chinese at Custems' Stations,

matters will very soon come to such a pass

INQUEST An inquest was held on Wednesday by A. Lin. ter, Esq., coroner, on the body of James Ryan, late semman on board the British ship Tyburnia. | boat The jury consisted of Mesers. G. N. Minto, J. 3. Knowles, and H. F. Simmonds. The Corner-explained to the jury that the that day. principal reason for helding the inquest was that up to a late hour on Tuesday the brdy had not been identified, and there were several seamen missing from the Tyburnsac Now, however, that it was identified, the case would be

an AR. on board. He identified the body by cargo constated of shark fins, dried prawns, the clothes, about which he was positive, and bundles of tin solder, and sundry other things. only night watchman on board on the night and he had reason to believe that a great to end at 5.30 a.m. It was his duty to call the Ho went on board of the Venus, and was incook at 4 a.m., but that morning he did not do formed there that four of the men had been so. The boutswain found this out, and called taken out by the police, who had left three men the cook bimself. Deceased was then missing, in charge, but no constable. These three men, and no information could be bad of him on the captain, mate and another man, took a boat board the Tyburnia. There was a barque, the from the cargo boat and cleared out, and when Wressel Castle, lying about 60 fathoms off, and he went on board he found no person on board enquiries were made on board of her in the in charge. morning. It was found that they had beard | Case was then remanded till the 29th instant,

s fall overboard between 1 and 2 a.m., and at 230 p.m. seen the splash, but thought it was a onek. A scratching noise against the side of a ship, had also been beard by the watchman on board the Lord Macaulay. Decensed was in the habit of sitting on the rail, and might have gone to sleep and fallen overboard during his watch. He was said to be unable to swim. No property was missed next morning, and there were no traces of any one having been on board. - All hands were on board, numbering twenty-four. THE above granite floored DOCK, of the Deceased was on good terms with the crew, and sleeves of jackets. feet, Breadth at Bottom, 40 feet, is capable of heard of him until Tuesday night. Deceased stated that on the 27th instant, at 3 p.m., he rereceiving Vessels drawing 13 to 16 feet, as the west on watch at 8 p.m. and was to be on watch receiving vessels drawing 13 to 16 feet, as the receiving vessors praising to to to the Color of the Colo

The Coroner and the foremen of the jury-ex- of rice tied up in trowsers and jackets, in pressed their opinion that this was a very long the legs and sleaves, the same produced in

been on the night-watch ever since the ship of the packages. came into harbour, i.e., over a fortnight. Decensed was not a drunken man. The ship is same as last witness, excepting that the only frigate-built, baving a broad rail on the poop. one he recognised as having any interference There is an entry in the log (produced) on Sun- with the packages, was the second defendant. day morning, to the effect that the decraced Robert Mitchell corroborated the statement

Charles Bond, P.C. 4; said that on Tuesday the ninth defendant interfere with the packages morning about 10.45 a gentleman reported at | Defendants all admitted having about 10.45 the Police Chop that there was a body floating on the packages of rice, but their defence was in the barbour, and pointed it out. It was near they bed swept it up in the hold, and that they the Messageries Maritimes buoys. Took a boat intended to ask the Captain's liberty to take i and found the body, which was that of a mid- on shore. This they did not do, but attempted dle-nged man, the one in the dead-house. It to conceal in from the Captain and witnesses was then dead, and witness brought it to Hos. | and on the examination of rice by the Magistrate

the evidence of some one on board the Lord its mustity could be-Macaulay. There bud not been time to pro-

said he knew the deceased, who has an aunt in them wholesale as they were now doing; and Liverpool, and no other relations. Witness as they all admitted having a hand in this Saturday night, and deceased brought him a by so doing others employed in a like capacity at Pekin as revealed in the last published down below. He saw him after that till about no honest feeling existed in them naturally, as under such circumstances, the Mandarins Don't know how the ship swong at 12. Decoas- the whole fourteen stepped forward to prevent their own way. The whole tone of their of the Secretary of State. ed could not swim, and never would go into the the rest from committing the theft. The se-

swim. He said be had fellen overboard seve- labour. ral times, and nearly been drowned, and he was frightened of the water. Heard no splash in Mr. Lieter thought it would be more satisfactory to have the evidence of the people on these other ships, and the inquest was adjourn.

ed to the Magistracy. The adjourned inquest was held resterday at 4.30 p.m., at the Magistracy, when the evi-Wressel Castle. Witness's testimony showed that he bad heard a splash alongeide the ship

POLICE INTELLIGENCE. 27th September. BEFORE J. RUSSELL, ESQ.

THE CARGO BOAT ROBBERT. Sergeant Campbell, further examined, stated be asked the seventh defendant where the passengers took in the things, and she said from French brig. Witness then took the things fendant to the French brig, but he was cargo boat, which she could point out. Campseventh defendants pointed out. The sixth and employed, was sent to hard labor for three

So-n-sup, P.O. 292, stated that about 10 shore, with two passengers, They went on be was to ask the seventh defundant. He asked Sergeant then went to the Police Halk, and the last witness and himself took the seventh defendant to a French brig, and she said that Hongkong. Bank Shares, New-6? per cent. the Chinaman had gone on shore, but she pointed out the captain of the ship. The captain said be had no goods but rice; and got very angry. On the way back the seventh defendant said the goods did not belong to the passengers; he then took her on board the Police Hulk. She then said she got the things about 4.30 a m. on the 26th from No. 13 cargo boat, but could not find it, and the sixth defendant then said it was No. 1 cargo boat. The corporal told them to be careful, and the sixth defendant thee said it was No. 1 cargo boat. They than took into the Police-best the sixth and seventh defendants, who pointed out to them No. 1 cargo boat, which was lying alongside the steamship Venus. The sixth and seventh defendants pointed out the first four defend-

told them what they were charged with, namely, Inspector James Gradock, stated that when Some of the crew of a German ship got into an this charge, and from enquiries made he found Coulewre; and number of men from the latter Aling, hat and cap shop, in the Queen's Road, vessel subsequently got sabore-without of the other from Whampon. He bailed them out course the knowledge of their officers; the fact to appear at the Police Court. In the boat were of vessels lying alongside the band enables such some bags of sharks fine, a little bit of cloth, tors, and some O. H. He did not get the licence

ants, and the seventh defendant said ber boat

was coming from East Point at 4.30 a.m. this

morning (Tuesday) and the cargo boat in which

were the first four defendants, hailed them

several times. They pulled towards the cargo

boat, and the first four defendants put the

things into the bout, saying, you keep these

things till 8 o'clock, and they would then come

for them and pay for the trouble. The corporal

and witness then arrested the first four defend-

ant, and took them to the Police Hulk. They

of the boat; he believed the old woman was the owner of boat, and the young woman and the other man were her employed servants in the Mr. Dendya, clerk to Mr. Francis, asked for

a rentand, ne Mr. Francis would not appear Mr. John & Hook stated he was owner of severile cargo hoats, and the first defendants belonged to cargo bout No. 1, and that boat had been engaged discharging cargo from the Venus on Monday noon, and delivering same cargo to the Formore. The boat not being filled, laid all William Ahern, third officer of the Tyburnia, night alongoide, so as to be filled up before it identified the body, and suid the decensed was went to be discharged on the Formoso. The

98th September.

BEFORE C. MAY, ESQ. LARCENY OF MICE. Captain David Anton, of the British ship Onward observed fourteen light fingered Celestinis with secreting about three picula of rice, for the purpose of taking it on shore. The rice was produced in Court, done up in several pairs of trowsers, tied up at hotton and top, also in the

Court. He ordered the pickages to be removed David Bell, a seaman on board, testified the

of the last two witnesses, except that de only saw and Inspector Cradock, in charge of the case, it The Coroner said they ought to have at least | was found to be quite clean, as clean as any, of

at about 9 p.m. on Saturday. Decensed couldn't twenty shillings each, or one month's hard

UNLAWFUL LODGERS. Inspector Grimes charged six Chinese for taking lodgings in the officers' quarters of the Central Station without permission, and contrary to orders issued to the servants not to allow any one to remain on the premises all night. Fire second, third, and fourth were ordered to find so curity in \$10, to be forthcoming for one month the fifth and sixth defendants were discharged, Captain Deane's boy and the Inspectors' cook were fined \$1 each, for disobedience to orders, in allowing the defendants to remain. CIGAR ROBBERY.

Wong-a-wai, the coolie charged upon suspicion of being concerned in the cigar robbery from Mesers, Norton, Lyall & Co., was ordered find security in one householder in the sum of \$10, to be forthcoming within one month. HIGHWAY ROBBERT. Lum-u-kai, the butcher, charged with suatch-

a married woman, (erroneously named Bodellcriminal sessions.

A painter named Chow-a-lee, living in Bridges-street; was summoned by Mrs. Anna Delgado, a widow, also living in the same atreet, for boiling norious and offensive substances in Chinese paint oil, which caused odours injurious to health; and also with setting fire to a cooking place in defendant's premised to the danger of the lives of those in the buildings. Mr. H. Rodrigues, connected with the Police Court, testified to having been called by the complainant to help to put out the fire. Defendant was fined \$10, which he paid.

Wilhelm Cakker, of Holland, a seaman unat Mr. Thompson's boarding house.

COMMERCIAL: INTELLIGENUE.

SEPTEMBER 28TH, EVENING. There has been a quieter and weaker feeling in the drug market for Patna throughout the change in other kinds.

SEPTEMBER 29 гн. Мовигно No change at present in the position of the Fifth unothing the Burn

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& LONDON. -Bank Bills, at 90 days sight, 3/31 Bank Bills, at 6 months' sigut, 4/34 to 4/4 Credits, at 6 months' sight 4/4: to 4/42 Documentary Bills, at 6 months' Bank Bills on demand, 4/44

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pany-25 per cant discount Hongkong Gas Company's Shares \$60 per Hongkong Hotel Company's Chares 60 per Hongkong Distillery Company→10 to 12 per

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chun-shing to Canton merchant. ling by rotail. Saigon Rice, 3,000 picula, at \$2.48, by hing to Hongkong merchant. Baffoles Hides, 300 picula, at \$7.10, by Hoping to travelling merchant, Lead, 250 pigs, at \$5.50, by Hop-hing to Canton merchant.

merchant to Kwong-bong. Bombay Cotton, 77 bales, at \$17.50, by foreign merchant to Yust-wo loong. Bombay Cotton, 47 bales, at \$18.00, by foreign Red Long Ells, 200 pieces, at \$7.75, by foreign serious calamity which will assuredly arise have during the past few months been of such causing brigandage merchant to Ynet-wo loong. merchant to Hongkong merchant. Drille, 40-yards, 960 pieces, at \$4.05, by fo- policy. reign merchant to Chun-theong-wing.

NEWS FOR THE ENGLISH MAIL. PROTESTANT MISSIONS, IN CHINA An interesting letter by the Rev. John E. MAHOOD, giving a description of a Missionary tour moar Foothow, is printed understood that on the retirement of Mr. Forth further on. It shows in a very clear manner the office was to be abulished, and the salary to the unfortunate effects which are being that official having been obtained upon that rapidly brought about in almost all parts understanding. The reply given by the Colonial of China by the tame manner in which we are Scoretary was very indefinite, amounting meresubmitting to molestation at the hands of ly to an observation that it is not certain that the natives, and to scarcely disguised insults the Hon, Mr. Smith (Registrar General) was at the hands of the officials. The numerous sitting at the table as Acting-Treasurer. Coucases in which foreigners in the interior of siderable exception was also taken to the manthe country have of late been submitted to ner in which enlaries were voted for gentlemen assault, and in which strong demonstrations bolding a plurality of offices, the plan being proof mob turbulence have taken place, are too dustive of very capricious remuneration being familiar to need recapitulation. It is rapidly given to the different officials in the Service. tween decke, and saw a number of packages difficult to restablish our position. The insults the Hon. Mr. Byric (who is Chairman of ing around. which have been given by the Mandarius are the Chamber of Commerce) asking whether less palpable, because disguised under the there was any truth in a statement account of a rupture which he had. He has prisoners each mide an attempt to remove one doubt they will be decided altogether by our authority, that a copy of an official letter refer-meagre. The weather has again become very Representatives at Pekin, who would be loth ring to the question of establishing a Chinese hot, there being in fact quite a second summer, to admit that it was possible for a Chinese Mandarin to insult them without their know- into the bands of the Chinese Customs at Sonchow bridge having had an altercation with ing it. Anyone, however, perusing the recent Canton. The Hon. Mr. Smith, Registrar- a Chinaman for not paying the toll, which ended despatches from the Chinese authorities, and General, protested with great vehemence in a blow being given, a Chinese placerd was the protocols of diplomatic interviews which against what he designated bringing a charge, posted accusing him of beating the Chinaare given in the last published Blue Book, must feel sensible of the slighting tone which is adopted :- the backbanded compliments, and in some cases, the scarcely hidden encers concerning all that is foreign. When we in the office could have done so. Mr. Byrie Backruptcy with regard to a sum of Tla 10,000 find Prince Kung patting Sir Rutherrord protested that he did not bring any charge in the hands of the Court, in the Estate of Arcock on the back with his long nailed against the honorable member; but merely ask. William Hargreaves. This sum was claimed hand, and patronisingly assuring him that he ed for information concerning a report which on the one side by the Trustees for the Creunderstands what is right and just, but that be bad on good authority, and which was of the ditors, and on the other by the Trustees under the merchants, whose only end is gain, are greatest importance to the mercantile Com- the marriage settlement of Mrs. Hargreaves. Mr. May told the defendants it was a outrageous in their demands; and when we cure their evidence since the identification of bard thing that Europeans should be treat- find our Representative so tickled with the ed in this way by Chinese employed by flattery to himself that he overlooks the in-John Green, A.B. on board the Tyburnia, them to discharge their cargos, rebbing suit to his country, we see enough to con- and was endowed, in connection with the governvince us that matters have reached a somewhat was alcoping on the forceastle head at 12 on case, he would make an example of them, that dangerous pass. Such was the state of affairs blanket, asking him whether be wasn't going may be made honest by fear of the law, seeing despatches; and it is scarcely surprising that 12.30, sitting on the rail on the forecastle head. was plainly shown by the fact, that not one of should think they can have mattersvery much Another A. B. said he last saw the deceased four months hard labour; the rest were fined aggerated politeness of Chinese official communications is taken into consideration, been garding its defective state, the Lieut-Governor dangers, that a man from the country would of a most insulting nature : and perhaps in nothing has this spirit been more clearly manifested than in the remarks which they have made upon Missionary laboure; and we now find the effects of accepting these insults

cropping up in all directions. The description of his treatment given by the Rev. Mr. MAHOOD is strongly confirmatory of the able remarks recently made by a contributor to these columns, that the celebrated Missionary despatch was not, as had been believed on the plausible representations of the Chinese, directed alone against the Catholic Missionaries. If that was the main object, the effects are clearly of an opposite character; as since it has been issued we find eractly the same class of rumours set on foot against Protestant Missionaries, and in a molested or killed there, the Mandarin would outive, but the speeches were all temperate and once would be given without any of the palmaccording to Chinese custom; be held respon- to the point, Upwards of 350 residents were salving peouliar to Chinese yamens, and sible. However this may be, the fact is incontestible that he could offer no protection, office, who was some time ago knocked down and the miserable soldiers who were sent to and robbed, and was for a long time in a very guard Mr. Manoop were the very men to rob precarious condition, has sufficiently recovered

leave him to the mercy of the ruffiault. The letter from Rev. Mr. Marioon also The charge of conspiracy brought against countryman, by name Harry Bergumot, living illustrates, what, at all events at times, is Abdool Mooses and others, which has occupie doubtless the cause of the so-called interference with, political matters on the part of the Catholic Missionaries in the interior. however, observing that if he had jurisdiction If the converts of the latter are treated in the matter be should discharge them, as he as were those of the Rev. Mr. Mandon thought the evidence very slight; but he had and there can be no doubt such is frequent- no power to discredit statements made on oath ly the case there is little reason for aur. before him, and the statements made farmished prise that the Catholic Missionaries should a onse for the Supreme Court. The Governholders to realise; sales of Patus have been ef. prise that the Cathonic missionaries should ment have returned all but seven of the letters feeted at \$680, onsh; and on time of the 9th at least endeavour to shield them from per which they ordered the Acting Postmastersales to arrive, at which it closed weak. No secution. It would indeed be difficult to General to detain in connection with the above understand how anyone, imblied with the matter. ordinary feelings of humanity, could hemitate . The Hon, Julian Paunocfote, Attorney Geneto do so. But so soon as a Catholic Mission- ral, left by the last French Mail on leave. His ary lifts a little fuger to prevent the sudden departure has caused some surprise, perpetration of such injustice, the cry is especially as the conspiracy prosecution above raised that he is unjustly interioring with noticed was brought by his order; and he was political matters; and this accusation is at once believed by the large number who are | ters at the Post-office, by order of the Governpredisposed by political and religious pre- ment, is considered to require explanation. judice to accept as true a plausible charge, The Hon. Mr. Ball, Judge of the Summery made against a pation and sect with whom Court, and in absence of the Chief Justice, Acthey do not sympathine. We now find, how- king Chief-Justice, has been appointed Acting ever, that the same ill-feeling on the part of Attorney General. the natives is being fostered in all parts of A striking illustration of the andacity of the the country against Protestant Missionaries, establishment at the entrance to this Harbour, who have certainly not hitherto been opa- occurred on the 23rd instant. Three gentlesidered a dangerous political element in China, men, well-known in the Colony; started and who for years have been permitted to in a private boat on a shooting excursion carry on their calling without molestation. at 8 p.m., and on passing through the It is hardly possible to doubt that the one throat-gates were challenged, but only once, has been given at Pekin, and that the object by the mandarin guard. Their boatman which the officials have in view in giving a shooting and hafore been tried by the Board of Punishments, reasonable proposition, and moreover, upon mawhich the officials have m view in giving a going on a shooting excursion, and, before the barres. Old—69 per cent. rein to the disorderly ruffians who are only premium.

Which the officials have m view in giving a going on a shooting excursion, and, before the charged first with being our ex-Chang-mow; ture consideration I think that this movement ten secondly, with a having been in the habit of cannot be looked upon as one of opposition, too glad to get up disturbances against the language. New 187 per cent. Missionaries, as they would against anyone distinctly board the whis of it. They then else; for the chance of gain, is to fan the pre- went about and steered straight for the station, judice and hatred against all foreigners, so as telling the men on above, through the interpreter, to impede the progress of foreign relations that in case they fired again those on board with the country. As was shrewdly observed able to do, having on board rifles in addition to recently by a correspondent at Swatow, the their fowling pieces. On priving at the wharf, evil of these disturbances does not end, when they asked for the mandarin, but it was a case they have been in some way put down and of non est," nor could they find anyone an apparently peaceful state of things whom they could make their complaints. restored. "Doubtless," he said, referring to the tide was in their favor, and they had some China Fire Insurance Company's Shares-\$70 the Shan Shin Fan rumours at the above distance to go, they then set sail, considerably port, "we shall have a proclamation or two. lictoria fire Insurance Company's Stares 869 and the excitement will subside. The conservative wise men will smile at the needless Hongkong and Whampon Dock Company's apprehension of others and yet the conservative wise men will be mistaken. The placards

will have accomplished no small share of thier mission, and intensified and mobilised for future use the hatred against foreigners. When the treaty comes to be revised, and inland residence again comes up, the design China and Straits Steam Navigation Com- of these movements will be disclosed," How little real superstition even-we will

not say religion has to do with these attacks; is shown by the mob having sent one of their men to tell Mr. MAROOD that if he would lested. Hongkeng Pier and Godown Company, Limited bably the predominating motive power in Mr. Manoon express his belief that if the thunderstorm, and, also, is consequence of the came direction was seen on the 24th Sept., very Foreign Minister were placed under similar heavy rains with which it was accompanied, a shortly after which coul weather set in.

Black Popper, 300 pivols, at \$14.00, by Shan- difficulty, he would soon change his policy | portion of the large temple at House tell to ! Our Tiensin correspondent writes that more in making treaties with semi-civilized na- the earth with a great crash. The lightning, heavy rain has fullen from the 11th to the 7th, Baigon Rice, 6,000 pioule, at \$2.42, by Hop tions; and well may he ask "how it is however, as far as I can learn, does not appear and the water in the plains has rison consider. possible for commerce or Christianity to is reported amongst other slight onsualties, in falles to 50 degrees, and the eiffering of the succeed in a country so poorly governed that this respect, that an old lady had the heir of country people who have sought refuge in a vile placard got up by a few wicked men, her head singed by the electric fluid. Whilst Tientsin, and who are housed simply in foreigner in China?" This, indeed, is the elements were at war with each other. The price of maize millet and other ordinary food Calcutta Cotton, 250 bales, at \$13.00, by Parsee intercourse with China; and it is to this and the flishes of lightning were so vivid and are selling their cattle to be slaughtered, havit must ultimately turn. It will be well if they continue in their present mistaken frequent occurrence, as almost to accustom us.

HONGKONG.

The Legislative Council met on the 22nd inst. when the Estimates for the year 1872 were gone into. Objection was raised by non-official members to several points in connection with the accounts, special exception being taken lo the amount for the salary of the Colonial-Treasurer appearing on the estimates, it having been fully which had been made to him on good Custom House in Hongkong, had by some and the thermometer having at one time ranged means got out from Registrar-General's office | ashigh as 93 degrees. A foreigner incharge of the

against him; and after saying that he strong enough to act in this way, Chinamen scorned the insinuation," answered that will by and by gather in strength, and beut to his knowledge the document had not been sent away, and he did not believe that anyone that the duties of the Registrar-General's office. acquent dealing. The case was partly heard, which called for a vote of not less than \$16,686. ment of the Chinese, with great powers either Daily News :for good or evil, should be accurately defined. and the public ought to have the fullest information as to what is done in that department. The Colonial Secretary stated that the Government was quite alive to the importance of the subject, which was now under the consideration of "charping," in Shangbai, resembles the home

recent communications has, when the ex- & On the vote for the Police Force coming forward, some general discussion took place reetrongly recommending thouddition of West Indians, which proposition, bowever, did not tryman, intending a visit to the Settlements, receive any very cordial sesent. The Hon Mr. Rowett (of Messrs. Holliday. Wise & Co.) observed that it was really impossible to eny what measures should be adopted until a Commission had been appointed to enquire into the real causes of the present defective

public attention, a crowded public meeting hav- and found of course his keys, one of which ing taken place at the Town Hall, at which the was declared to resemble one of the missing frequency of crime and the utter unreliableness lot. The search enabled them to discover of the Force were dilated upon, and a memorial also that the countryman was possessed of to the Secretary of State on the subject was 83, on which modest sum he intended to lings, said: Gentlemen, You have done me the agreed upon. Mr. Pyke, whose residence in "do" Shanghai, so an adjournment to a tea. honour to elect me chairman, and I have much Honckong dates back as far as 1844, declared shop was suggested, to clear up the difficulty pleasure in accepting the post. I have very measure against all foreigners, as formed the duties being performed at the Registrar-Gene-unwrapping the little parcel, he found that official Justices : it has been published in one of duties being performed at the Registrar-Gene-unwrapping the little parcel, he found that prelude to the Tientain outbreak. Mr. Ma ral's office, in place of being under the Head of three large cash had been substituted. The the papers to day, and it has been circulated to Hoon barely escaped with his life from a Police. This point was insisted upon by Mr. viotimisers had of course promptly disappeared le yun in our issue of the 27th) was yesterday violent attack made upon him by a mob, and J. J. Francis who expressed his opinion that a In extreme distress, the man loudly lamented committed for trial at the Supreme Court against which the local Mandarins were reorganisation of the Force might involve the utterly powerless. The Mandarin at Ku- reorganisation also of a portion of the Execu- to the foreign police. To this he replied that he cheng, in whose Yathun he took refuge, made tive, and that consequently it was highly desirable there his three cash would not be enough even the appearance of treating him fairly, but as proved about he appearance of treating him fairly, but as he took him out of the Yamen, where he of members unconnected with the Govern- way into the presence of a high official, and would have been safest, into the street, it ment. The feeling mainfested was one of may be feared that, his chief anxiety was to very strong disapprobation of the neglect shopkeeper volunteered to accompany him howget him out of the premises, as if he had been which has characterised the action of the Exe- ever, assuring him at the same time assist-

> Mr. Tomlin, of the Surveyor General's him of all he had, and then to flee away and to leave Hospital, but is still in a very weak

committed for trials the Magistrate, Mr. May.

to their excursion."

CANTON. (Front a Correspondent.) CANTON, Sept. 22ad, 1871.

On Friday night, the 15th instant, this city

continued to rage throughout the greater part of the night and so long and heavy were the showers of rain with which it was attended, as to cause great destruction of bousehold pro-

and our houses, to them. To Chinese bonts, they are often times very fatal: As, for example, the sudden blast of wind which I have just described capsized near to the " Dutch Folly " a

boat in which were eight men and two women. and of whom it is said time were drowned. I may also observe in passing, that the steamship Spark, when on her voyage from Masao to this port, on the 11th instant, passed a fishing junk with her keel apward, and to which were clinging three of her crew. Captain Brady, who is in command of the steamship in question, and who for his courtesy and kindness of heart is well known, very considerately went out of his course to render these unfortunate men assistance. The aid, however, which he so generously offered to bestow they declined to accept. In the neighbourhood of this shipwrecked craft, there were ree or four Chinese fishing junks, the crows which were; avidently, quite unconcorned with regard to the parilous position of their shipwrecked countrymen, who, as I have already

stated, were alinging for safety to what remained of their shattered burque. There can. I think, be no doubt that these chipwrecked cantile community are making ready for their men were airaid to leave the wreck, when invit- expected Consul, by putting their books in ed by Captain Brady to do so, lest it should be order and preparing themselves to submit seized by the unfeeling barpies who were hover- gracefully to equeezes.

SHANGHAI.

The news from the above port is extremely which he was surprised any one dared to bring man, and promising that though he is now

him to death. On the lith instant, a motion was made in munity. The Hon. Mr. Keswick (of Mesers, who contended that an original settlement of Jardine, Matheson & C., 's) expressed his opinion £2,000 had not become alienated by any sub-

> The following paragraphe are from the N. C. The Taotai has lately put forth two new proclamations; one against Lotteries, and another forbidding the country people to kill bullocks used, or useful, for purposes of agriculture. It is ourious to find how closely the organism method. To a man from the provinces, the Foreign Settlements are a metropolis with much of the interest, and unfortunately many of the met, while on his way, in the outskirts, saveral brother Chingmen whose distinguished appearance made him step aside to permit them to pass. Just then, however, one of the party pretended to discover that he had lost a bunch

of keys, and it was suggested that penhaps the countryman bad picked them up. Disregard. This matter has received very prominent ing his protestations, they searched the mun, then he could not speak foreign language. The The man appeared at the police station, the matter was gone into, and the result that the sharpers will have to disgorge. These gentry are known to infeat Shanghai in considerable numbers, and no doubt victimise largely sufferers, who, like the present one, are generally uncophisticated countrymen, and who knew not how to go about getting redress. The yamen runners as is usual, wink at the practices. and share the spoil. The Obiness of the Settlement, however, thoroughly appresinte the

> to extortion in the process. NINGPO

value of the foreign police system; for the re-

(N. C. Dody Nows.) tell through, and they have reverted to their for forty policemen, but ten times forty will normal condition of diet and dierepair. ed, without which we can never bring about

(N. C. Daily News) The Pekin Gasette of August 17th an- Mr. G. B. DIXWELL then rose, and said :nounces the the death Yit-aun, second cousin. Mr. Chairman and Gentlemen,-As I am a to the Emperor. In token of his grief the foreigner enjoying the hospitality of this Colatter has belowed upon him Toto Pall, -a long, it was my intention to abstain from parhandsomely embroidered cloth to cover the ticipating in this meeting : but an hour or two coffin, and one of the highest benours that can | since it was urged upon me that it was desirabe conferred in China-which is to be borne to ble that all descriptions of persons having and ten of the Imperial body guard.

with being a usurer and going by such grand things in the Colony must be a matter of as soubriquets as Emperor Wei and " Little Au- great anxiety and as great disentisfaction to toorat King." He was soquitted on the first the highest officials, as it is to the great mass two charges, but found guilty on the third, and of residents. I have not been permanently its sentenced to receive 100 blows with the larger | Hongkong, but I was here during the Arrew bamboo, and to be banished to a short distance war, when are attempt was made to poison the

Ubinose official circles as to the design of the great at the present moment. Houses which Indian Government in trying to establish com- are supposed to contain valuables are nearly in mercial relations with the Mahomedans in a state of siege after dark, and the owners are Yuppan; it is feared such an alliance would obliged to arm their servants; and keep a strengthen the latter. If so, the Chinese Go- | vigilant watch through the whole night vernment had better take steps to restore order | Under such circumstances, it would seem to in Yannan, and open commercial relations be the duty of loyal residents, as well as of loyal themselves. One quarter of the large army subjects, to bring to the aid of the existing which Li has in Chihli, for no conceivable pur- authorities the weight of a popular demonstrapose unless a possible foreign war, and one tion, and in this spirit I have pleasure in proquarter of the funds annually lavished on was visited by a most violent thunderstorm. It areenals, would weonquer Yunnan in a year.

> TLENTSIN. (N. O. Daily News.)

Dates to 9th September say that the water on perty. In the Si-wa efreet, of the Tartar quarter | the East and West plains had, during the past of the city, not to refer to other places, ten six days, fallen 21 to 3 inches. The river water houses were, on this occasion, destroyed. The still flowed into the plains, the gaps not having loss of life, however, in consequence of the fall- been filled up, nor does it seem likely that this ing of these dwellings, was, I am glad to say, will be done until the river becomes much lower, ing. give them \$200 and the wood to be used for by no means great, one person only, a Tartar which will be the case about the end of October. building the chapel they threatened to youth of eight yours of ago, having been killed. Sailing boats and canoes are the order of the destroy, they would leave him unmo- In many streets of the city and its suburbs, the day. Steps were being taken for the distribuwater, in consequence of the heavy rains, rose tion of the 80,000 picula of rice placed at the to such a height as to inundate the very houses. disposal of La-hung-chang. The weather con-Moreover, the streets being closely barricaded- tinued hot both day and night, and sickness as is the case in all Chinese cities and towns was pretty general amongst the natives. A by night-the water, as a matter of course, flook of wild geese were heading south on the lawless acts against foreigners. Well may could not readily escape. During this same lat Sept. last year the first flock going in the numbers and composition of the Force, its organism-

possible for commerce or Christianity to to have done my great amount of damage. It ably in consequence. The thermometer too has will endanger the life of almost every the storm lasted, it appeared as if the four mutsheds, has been thus greatly increased. The whole pith of the question regarding our roaring of the thunder was almost deafening, has already visen considerably, and the villagers point that it must come, and on this point so uncomfortably near as to make one upprehensive of danger. Towards its close there element of distress is preparing. Bye and bye. if the Home Authorities can only be induced my house, and I suppose those of my neigh. All this prospective distress is painful enough to recognise this truth in time, to avert the bours to rattle. Such audden squalls, however, in itself, but there is the further danger of it

HUNAN.

A few days ago, we called attention to a memorial from a Censor, describing the state of anarchy that prevails in Human. Another memorial to-day describes a series of outrages, and a case of official corruption, that would scom impossible in a country which protends to bave any Government at all; much loss in the most civilized country of the world

NAGASAKI.

(N. O. Daily News.) The Africa, having completed the laying of the cable from Vladiwastock, has left for home. The Gazette says there is general dissatisfaction felt at the non-completion of the Russian overland line from Viadiwastock. A couple of blocks of houses in the city were burnt down on the 8th, and the damage would have been greater, but for the exertions of 250 volunteers from the Ocean. The Gazette thinks the dignity of the Consular Body will suffer by the appointment of a Chinese official. The Chinese mer-

YOKOHAMA. Dates from the above port are to the loth

There has been considerable excitement imong the mercantile Community, consequently on account of the Custom House refusing to accept duties at the scale for kinests previously adopted. It appears that their demand was for 400 sate as the equivalent of \$100, whereby the merchant was forced to pay 89 in place 1 79 boos extra. The matter has, however, been idjusted, it being arranged that on and after January 1st, 1872, the nibou will be received at the rate of 202 for 311 silver ichiboos.

The Japan Mail states that Mr. De Long the American Minister, left for Hakodate in the Ariel, and will shortly return overland. It s understood that his visit to the north is connected with alleged irregularities, extending over several years, in the U. S. Consulate at

Hakodate. The Gasette of the 11th inst states ;- A most startling instance of sudden death occurred on the eve of the departure of the last P. M. steamer. A very much esteemed member of our community, Thomas Wilson Miller, had just entered his bed room from his dressing room, and was preparing to get into bed, when, only saying-"Ch, I feel so weak," he fell back and almost instantly expired. It is needless to tell how great is the sympathy felt for Mrs. Milier and her two little fatherless children. A very deep feeling of regret has been manifested by every one among us.

PUBLIC MEETING.

A crowded Public Meeting, consisting of something like 350 people, took place at the City Hall on Monday, 25th instant, pursuant to notice of the Sheriff, for the purpose of taking into consideration the present defective state of the Police, the prevalence of unchecked crime in the Colony, the recent action of the non-official Justices of the Peace, the Colonial Secretary's reply to their deputation to H. E. the Lieut. Governor, and the further steps to be taken by the residents in consequence thereof. The notice to the above effect having been rend by the Sheriff, A. Lister, Esq., the Hon. P.

RYBIE was voted to the chair with acclamation. on the motion of Mr. Pyke. The Hon. Mr. RYBIE, in opening the proceed that he had never known the Force to be so regarding the keys, the sharpers retaining the little to say myself, as I think my views are defective as at present; and many other speak. dollars till this was done. After a time they pretty well known, having been put forward in ore confirmed this view. The Forest, it appears, affected to be satisfied, and gave their victim various places with reference to the Police. is much interfered with by a portion of the back what he supposed was his money, but, This is a draft Memorial drawn up by the nonknow that all are acquainted with its contents.

> Mr. E. BAKER proposed that the Memorial be taken as read. Mr. G. B. DIEWELL seconded the proposal. and there being no objection raised, the Memo-

rial was taken as read. The CHAIBMAN then enquired whether any gentleman present had any remarks to make. Mr. T. PYKE rose; and said : At the recent meeting of Justices of the Peace I proposed that a memorial should be drawn up and sent tolH.M.'s Secretary of State for the Colonies. the reason for doing no being that the nonofficial members of the Council had applied to the Government unsuccessfully to obtain information on this important subject, I think all will agree with me that the time has arrived when it is imperatively needed that action be taken in this matter. (Cheers, " It is not for me to question the action of H.E. the Lieut. Governor and the members of the Legislative Councils My own impression is that they are fettered by instructions from home covery of property without having to submit which prevent their carrying out, what they would otherwise do of their own accord. I bave been in the Colony many years, and never since my arrival, in 1844, has The foundation has been laid of the new the Police Force been so defective, as, it is at church at Ningso. It is to be built on the the present moment. (Loud applause.) It is river bank, nearly in the middle of the foreign | unnecessary to remind the meeting of the atsettlement. It is to post \$2000, and is to so tacks which take place in the most frequented commodate about 50 people fully as many as parts of the City, and of the robberies which are ever likely to occupy it. Our correspondent occur nightly; the only inference from which thinks it a pity that the liberality shown by the is that the Police Force is in an utterly residents in subscribing to this new building, disorganised condition, and until the weak is not extended to the roads and jetties. An point is discovered, it will be impossible attempt was made lately to raise a subscription to remedy the eyil. My opinion is that the of \$1 per month from the foreign residents, to defect consists in a want of cordial co-operskeep these at least clean; but it somebow tion. We hear that the Government has sent be useless unless the present system be alter-

the change required in the Police Force (loud the residence of the decessed by Prince Fusbin, considerable interests in the place should be represented, and should take a part in what it A certain "notorious had character" has to be done and said here to-day. This seems a whole community, and I think I am right in It is said a little apprehension is felt in saying that the feeling of insecurity is quite as

> posing the following resolution, viz. :-Resolved. That life and property in Hongkons have never been more insecure than at present, and that the prevalence of serious crimes and the reckless daring of the criminal classes is the natural result of the defective composition, and total disorganization, of the Hongkong Police Force, and of the inadequacy of the Colonial Police Law.

Mr. A. Coxon seconded the resolution, which was carried unanimously, amidst much cheer-

Mr. BUTTONJEE then proposed the second resolution, as follows :-Resolved.—That in the opinion of this Meeting there is no reason why, with the large annual expenditure for Police purposes, the Force should not be as efficient as any body of Police in the East and that there is orgent need for a searching inquiry into the Police Law of the Colony, the

Mr. H. KIER seconded the resolution.

Mr. N. B. DENNYS said: I should like to ministered are totally inadequate. Could make a few remarks upon a subject of such cheers). We, in fact, provide every kind of invital interest for everyone in Hongkong, of centive and temptation to crime. It is a most whatever occupation, and though I am more melancholy reflection that for two or three years reconstemed to writing then speaking on public | we have provided that luxury which every a Tairs, I think the importance of the matter | Chinaman appreciates popen Gambling houses. this occasion. There seems to be consider. a honey-pot. I also think we do not pay able misapprehension as to the sornal sufficient regard to the coremonies, which Then, if we further take into consideration the amoudment of Mr. Donnye. language daily used among the Chinese, not | Mr. HAYLLAR, with Mr. Dennys's consent as only of us in our private capacity, but of the proposer, added a rider, so that the resolution authorities of the law, of the Governor, the should stand as follows :-Lieut.-Governor, the members of the Council. That in the opinion of this meeting there is no language that would not be telerated in the reason why, with the large annual expenditure for poorest family from brother to father -if we take Police purposes, the Force should not be as effi-this into consideration, we shall be justified in cent as any body of Police in the East, and that saying that the procedure of our law is not ap- there is orgent need for a searching inquiry into plicable. Like the bite of the cobra, which the Police Law of the Colony, the numbers and can only throw itself a fixed length, the composition of the Force, its organisation, its be said that in London and New York, and in the regulations now in force regarding Police

kept in order in some way by main force of law. of the prevailing opinion that the existing ori- the ohair.) That was after they had But there is something beyond that. Every minal law of the Colony does not provide powers been told that nothing would be done till be man is the sworn and born enemy of the stringent enough to enable the Courts and Authoriburglar, the thief, and the murderer, and down | ties to deal with the vast number of bad characters | We were all very norty to hear of, and deeply to the lowest classes-even the costermong. | belonging; to the habitual criminal classes, how er-men socially very little divided from the flock here from the mainland of Chinacriminals themselves, every-man who manages to keep on the right side of the line between unanimously. honesty and rescality will be opposed to the Mr. PRIOREL then proposed the third reschurglar and the thief. Here in Hongkong, we lution, as follows; have "respectable shop-kespers." Only the other day a well-known official was set upon by four or complete, which is not conducted by a commismen, and our respectable friends stood by, and sion composed, in great part, of members of the saw him protty well hammered. This state of community inconnected with the local Government. affairs is not caused so much by their not car- and armed with full powers to examine all classes ing about the matter, as because they know of witnesses, whether Members of the Government that if they interfered the whole of the Chinese or otherwise, to call for and competitive production would set upon them. This makes the difficulty of papers of every description, and to deal with the in Hongkong. An old legal authority says that question of crime, its cames, and the means of preit is better that ten guilty men should escape then | yention in all its branches. that one impocent man should be punished. Mr. J. B. Coughtain seconded the resolu-Apply this hers. The Community may be tion, africa while the head of her bearing the broadly divided into two clauses, Foreigners Mr. J. J. ERANCIS. - If I may be permitted. and Chinese. There are about 115,000 of the Mr. Chairman, I wish to submit some few realatter to only 5,000 of the former. Therefore sons; why that resolution, before all bibers. we are about 1 to 22. The smaller class very should be carried, and carried unanimously seldom furnishes oriminal cases; the larger (Cheers.) Many now present have lived furnishes not only a large number of priminal long in the Colony, and know. cases, but a larger amount of undetected crime. extraordinarily, difficult this coin of for If the old saying be accepted, and it's a very public, to obtain, information, or to nice and proper thing for a lawyer to say out what is going on, or what steps should be under these conditions it follows that while recommended to the Executive. Commissions this course of procedure would allow one guilty of Enquiry have been appointed by the Governforeigner, it would allow 220 guilty Chinese ment of the Colony, but the inhabitants are to escape. Well, isn't there something wrong none the wiser. Therefore, it seems to me, no here? I think the Memorial ought to touch upon | Commission of Enquiry can be of use unless the manner in which the Imperial Government armed with full powers to examine everyone. interferes with our local authorities. In regard from the Governor downwards. As long as to the Deportation and Flogging Ordinance, they there is a possibility of the Colonialhave been hampered by the home authorities. Secretary's objecting to produce papers, on and by some influence which we do not nuder the ground that they are private and confistand, the Government does not carry out the dential, or that they have been referred to the repressive laws as they should. (Cheers.). The Secretary of State, it will be perfectly useless by the Chinese householders, and placed under communicated to the members of the Le- free port, and that consequently no Chinese other day some men were santenced by a Judge, to have any enquiry whatever (Loud cheers.) who knew what he was doing, to corporal pun- As to the necessity of having a Commission rel. ishment for a serious crime. On the day ap- composed of persons unconnected with the Gopointed, some men came to the place and said vernment, it strikes me that any thorough reor- the force has been thus increased from a grand | Memorialists gravely doubt if it has ever been this port, it seems at first view that they should that if the men were flogged there would be a ganisation of the Police must result in the reriot. I knew this, and a dozen of my friends organisation to a considerable extent of the in 1871, and the Police expenditure has been Lordelip presides, but enough was made public | Now, if turning from these purely common knew it, and I suppose the Government knew | Executive Government and Departments. a great neglect of duty on the part of those cers of the Government to take part in pulling adequate improvement bean effected in the vaa great negreet or duty on the part of the Police as a detective and preventive. Memorialists, that the Police as a detective and preventive. Memorialists, that the Police as a detective and preventive. Memorialists, that the Police as a detective and preventive. Memorialists, that the Police as a detective and preventive. Memorialists, that the Police as a detective and preventive. Memorialists, that the Police as a detective and preventive. Memorialists, that the Police as a detective and preventive. 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The result is that our onair coolies, our boys, all around us, are openly boasting that as a rule they are particularly competent that the Government is afraid to carry out the to take care of themselves, and in the present even the London Police, one of the best disciplined in the world, I defy the authorities (Obsers.) I never could ascertain what are to maintain order under the present system. I the duties of the Registrar-General's Daam no apologist for the Police: I believe that partment, and how it is that many of the though they have bad materials, they are not duties which he does perform have been placed worked as they longht to be, and I fully agree under an efficer, andonnected with the Polide: with the Memorial. But it is fair to Mr. Deane, why he registers coolies, chairs, boats, dwellingon whom a great deal of censure has been east, bouses, every one of which is a Policel meato point out these matters, to which attention sure, designed to give the Executive knowledge should be drawn. There are two matters: first, of pertuin classes and individuale for the purthe Police interference with gambling-house. pose of checking orime, and to have some I understand that only two or three, we'll say means of laying their hauds on these peofour or five, inspectors, are allowed to enter the ple. They are all fairly Police measures. Gambling Houses. Further, a thief may steal and their execution ongut to be left in the present then before the Council, should be postponed their families and their interests either in the your watch, take it there, play it away, and go bands of the Police be obliged to time, and that the inability of the local Go ontil after the Committee had reported. A City or the Province of Canton, find themselves, away, unless actually caught in the not, before refer to the Registrar General, who may enter vernment to afford adequate protection to Your copy of this Minute would appear to have been thanks to the classicity of the laws and Cuathe police get information of the fact. This is tain different views from them, how is it likely Memorialists, and to check the late enormous forwarded to Your Lordship under cover of a toms of the Chinese, at the mercy and at the certainly a great anomaly, and I am surprised that information will be given as readily or as increase in the crimes of burglary and highway Despatch, No. 29, of the 6th March, 1871, from caprice of the Mandarine, from which they had certainly a great anomaly, and I am surprised that incompanied by the College had not been said on the subject. That ordinary police may not enter gambling houses under ordinary circumstances (for they police it? I think a very general and a may often have cause for suspicion which they Registrar-General's Department; imaginate the Colony that the questions mised by the Chief Justice a letter even touch upon the grave question cannot put into words or writing) seems quite it is a Protectorate of Chinese, works very de- and his Executive Council that attention to in his Minute above referred to, were never the freedom of the port, which in truth does unwarrantable. The second thing is the emment, of confidential Chinese agents or spies. at cross purposes. The Police may take bus view, no resource but to memorialize Your Lordship. for the introduction and discussion of Mr. theory. It is often said that this is necessary, but I and the Registrar-General's Departmentanother, should not be surprised if the Registrar General met such an assertion with a flat efficiency of the police on the proper governdenial. (Cheers.) But the Government do ment of the place. There are therefore strong avail themselves of this kind of information, reasons why the commission should consist of bonds. When they learn that such a that it can have, and unless that resolution is crimes committed in this Colony. Burglaries, proof that he understated instead of overstating positive an assertion, but at the same time it apman is wanted, one of them goes and carried unanimously there is very little, change larcenies in dwelling houses, breaking, entering, the case against the Police. Not a night new pears to me that in a question in which the vital says: "Now, you give me \$1,000, or PH of any useful result being produced. (Loud apgive you up." If the man pays sufficient plause, you black-mail, the police can't find bim, otherwise he may be forthcoming. I have unanimously, with much cheering.

bodies openly or secretly connected therewith. as well as into the regulations now in force and to their representations, as evidenced by the be specially invoked for their immediate invest, and to be four in number, are still at large and to make any use of this letter that may be regarding Police action at the Gambling-(Loud applause.) Mr. T. O. HAYLLAR Mr. Chairman and Gentlemen: I think it will not be out of place for l me, a practising lawyer, to second the motion of reply was the Colonial Secretary's. The Most covery of stolen property is simply hopeless. sailants are still at large. The Superintendent THE EFFEOT OF THE SHAN-SIN-FAN in the terms which he has used I do most cor- usual to put it in that way, unless there was next place, subject to what has been said in the ter, was set upon in open day, his prisoner resdially concur. (Cheers.) It is very singular any special reason for doing so! It looked as last paragraph, call Your Lordship's most as oued, and he himself hadly beaten. The crimithat, without any reference to Mr. Dennye, I had if it was the Colonial Secretary's own set, and rious attention to the Report from the Captain nal and his rescuere are still free. Within prepared in my pocket an addition very much not that of His Excellency, whose not of nourse | Superintendent of Police in Hongkong for the | the last month the private bouses and godowns in the same terms, and intended myself to in- it was a trible in troduce it. I would, however, go rather farther than Mr. Dennys, and say that not only is the form and procedure of criminal law unfitted to the circumstances of thus Colony, but it is Secretary's." not even English. Two or three years ago, I think in 1868 or 1869, the Parliament of England, impressed with a desire to put down hat to facilitate reference to the document. It was expenditure, as morally worthless, the Euro- arms after dark. Burglaries have become so sit by a well in one of the villages in the thorn if they had any guns for these soldiers, of the resident land-renters, who, as more inbitual criminals, passed an Act which threw upon an habitual oriminal—that is, a man who by any constable, of being taken before intended towards the Colonial Secretary. two Justices of the Peace, and charged not as having committed any crime, but with the fact that he did not get his living in an honest way. I mously. This is an Act absolutely essential in a place like this. (Applause.) We have a vast criminal population, over which we have no control, over whose education we have no influence. and over whose acts we can exercise no vigi- Ryrie and to his brother Justices, for their prompt lance. 'According to Mr. Dennys's figures, we laction in the matter of the recent sleeping increase foreigners are 5,000 in a population of 120,000; of crime in the Colony. and now when we find this class making nightly depredations and daily attacks in the streets, we should treat them not as ordinary people, but as 'vermin; re- pass without some remark of great congratulagard them as a man who keeps a grosery tion. He saw that at a meeting of the Legisstore regards a rat. Yet we have no means in lative Connoil a very learned gentleman had this Colony of touching them, until some setual said the meeting of the Justices was illegal. He orime is brought home to their doors. This is | was not going to give any opinion on its legality, not the kind of thing we should have in this as he had not looked up the point, but he replace. This is not the kind of thing we should garded this movement as decidedly a step in the expect from a Government who really had at right direction. He could not let the resolution In all 456 cases of the discover the defects of the present system, the tion must positive, touteloss il me semble que dans uso heart the interests of those confided to its care. Deas without expressing very loud and very sin-There is another view, and in this I also go | core congratulation. (Hear, hear; and loud beyond Mr. Dennys, that the munishments ad- applance.)

gone into these few considerations as

causes of the lumentable state of affairs attract large numbers of bad characters to the Police Force, and to a voice in the disposal of the now existing. First, as ably pointed out C lony. Therefore, when these men have in the Memorial, there is the disorganisa. all these temptations, they don't care in tion, or want of organisation, in the Police the feast degree when they are punished. Force. But there are two other causes: first, We provide them a prison, good food, comthe attempt to make the procedure of law in fortable clothing, and medical attendance; England applicable in this Colony; and second- and as they live in the greatest luxury it is no ly, certain faults of local administration, which punishment to them when caught. (Applause.) considering a Public Meeting has been called, It is not fair entirely to pass, by this state of cannot be passed over in total silence. To things in a Memorial of this kind. We should speak first of the procedure. We go entirely point out clearly that not only the procedure by English law: I don't mean the law itself- but the actual existing state of the law, is not that a man must not steal, and must not kill- sufficient to mret the circumstances in which but the machinery put in force to catch and we stand. There is another practical suggesconvict the culprits. Here we have the same tion which I gather from my experience in machinery put in force as in England, well another Eastern dependency of this Crown. enough adapted to England or to any civilised Through the length and breadth of India, country, but useless in a Colony where a large except in the Presidential towns, the maportion of the inhabitants are not only not gistrate has the power of examining the English, but aliens. There are about 5,000 prisoner. If you recommend that persons who

foreigners out of 120,000 inhabitants. The bave become babitual criminals should be respectable Chinese, as it is the fashion to call subject to examination by the magistrate, you them, never help the law because it is the law, will easily discover whether they are gaining and never take the slightest pains to help its an honest living or not. A man of this kind representatives. We are among a population may be said to be beyond the pale of humanity. to whom the sanctity of an eath is entirely un. He should be brought before the magistrate known, and there is no form, I believe, what and deported, as a bad and useless person, and ever may be enid to the contrary, which the lif he comes back, he should be subjected to the roughly supplies its place. If we take these only punishment that Chinese scoundrels care facts into consideration, it will be immediately for, and that is, the lash. (Loud applause). I seen how different the circumstances are here. have much pleasure in seconding the able

This was put to the meeting, and carried

Resolved .- That no inquiry can be satisfactory. Chairman, which was carried with loud and

why there should be any necessity for a Pro- at any former period. tector of Chinese (Applause.) I rather think (Lond cheers.) Supposing we had here circumstances of the Colony, a Protector of Europeans would be inuch more useful.

> trimentally with regard to the Police move. mentain this Colony. The two Departments are | urgency of the ones imperatively demands, have | Lieutenant-Governor refused his permission

The resolution was then put, and carried Mr. B. DEACON then moved the fourth redeem that they bear upon matters of great solution, as follows:

importance. I therefore beg to propose the fol- Resolved.—That this Meeting approves of, and lowing amendment to the Resolution which has adopte, the action of the non-official Justices of the been proposed to add the words and an enquiry Peace in their meetings on the 30th of August last, Where the offenders have not been taken in the most precarious state, the victim of a brutal thing more than financial expedients to hide up into the action and result of employing all and on the 11th instant, and views with indignation set, or where there exists no grave cause of outrage committed almost in broad daylight, temporary difficulties. the inertness of the local Executive, and the treat—suspicion against particular persons, and the and at a point where, if anywhere, a Policeman In a subsequent letter, I will endeavour, Sir, ment accorded to the Deputation of the Justices assistance of the Police need not, therefore, ought always to be on duty. The criminals, to give fuller details, and leave you at liberty Colonial Secretary's reply to their address of the no communication is made to the Central unknown. The following night a Chinaman scenn fit to you.

Mr. HAYLLAR asked why it was said that the arrests and still fewer convictions, and the re- German house was the next victim: His as-

Mr. Francis said it might have a meaning. Mr. HAYLLAR proposed, as an amendment to the resolution, to leave out the words "Colonial

Mr. T. G. LINSTEAN said, in roply to Mr. Havlier, that the words had been used in order therefore called the reply of the Colonial-Becretary of that date, which was the actual fact,

Mr. HAYLLAR then withdrew his amendment. The Resolution was put, and carried mani-

resolution. No. 5 :---Resolved .- That the thanks of the Community are due, and are hereby given, to the Honorable P

accorded by Mr. J. J. dos Remedios. Mr. HAYLLAR said that resolution should not

acclamation.

Resolution, as follows .--Resolved.—That the Community of Hongkong are entitled as of right to a full investigation into justifies me in taking up your time on These, men are attracted to them as a fly is to the causes that have led to the present deplomble of the conduct of the Government in relation to the large sum annually contributed by them for the purpose of preventing, detecting, and punishing

> Mr. J. K. Davis seconded the resolution. Mr. D. WELSH, who was received with tre mendous applause, said there was un omission in the resolution. It ought to say " and in the imposition of taxes," and he moved that those words be inserted. The CHAIRMAN said they ought to be em

bodied in a separate resolution. Mr. FRANCIS thought the words would hardly consistent with the purpose of meeting. How the money was expended on the Police Force was a proper subject for conaderation by this meeting, but not bow it was raised, though that too was an important ques-

Mr. WEISH withdrew his amendment, and the resolution was carried unanimously. Mr. MELCHERS proposed the following, the

Resolved.—Linstly, that the Secretary of State for the Colonici be memorialized on the subject, and that it Commission of Enquiry be prayed for in accordance with the terms of the third resolution; that the Draft Memorial prepared by the Justices aforesaid, and circulated through the Community is approved of by this meeting, and that a Committee he now appointed to complete and forward the same with the least possible delay through the proper channels, and to take all proper stops for misuring that due attention be paid to its prayer. Mr. KAHN scoonded this, and it was carried

It was then proposed by Mr. Pyke, and se-

conded by Mr. G. F. Maclean, that the follow-

ing gentlemen should form the Committee Mesers, MacIver, Greig, Buxey, and Francis; Hon. R. Rowert said that before separating law is powerful just as far as it can action and result of employing all bodies openly formation which he had just received by telsor secretly connected therewith, as well as into graph, that Sir R. MacDonnell's departure, was delayed till his health be better. (Cries of Hoofact in all large places, the criminal classes are action at the Gambling-houses; and into the justice vay; hear, bear; &c., promptly suppressed by came back, in a matter of vital importance. regretted, the sickness of Sir Richard MacDonnel, but he no doubt had at least an able medical attendant, while here in this Colony, we were sick, and we were told that our doctor must be cured before our case could be attended to. Mr. Coxox proposed a vote of thanks to the

> The following is the memorial agreed to:-To the Right Honorable THE EARL OF KIMof State for the Colonies.

continued applause, and the Meeting them se-

THE MEMORIAL AND HUMBLE PETI-COLONY OF HONGRONG.

SHEWETH:fruitful source of discontent to the Inhabitants, telligence of the Police was directed, and nei- and principles connected with Custom House and has given rise to repeated representations to ther time nor money was spared in the effort to generally in practice. the local Government through the medium of bring to justice the guilty parties. Four men You will see therefore that this subject from the Judicial bench, and otherwise.

sing tits strength numerically, by raising the preliminary investigation, and in the Supreme called by its proper name. It would be called pay and improving the position of the officers Court, to the disadvantage of the Police, that piracy. Is it not in fact admitted by everyor racter directed against the criminal and danger- appointed by His Excellency the Governor. due when the merchandise is imported ! ous classes, and by the enrolment of a corps of The Report sent in by that Commission regard to Export Duty, I will puss i Chinese Watchmen, appointed and partly paid has never been made public, was never silence, merely observing that Hougkong

total of 363 men in 1861, to a total of 628 men forwarded to the Department over which Your be paid into the Colonial Treasury.

and Buildings.

torns published in the Hongkong Government silentie.

hopelessly faulty in its composition, as nume- that by a mere obsace. bodily atremeth and activity were required. detectives, That the Report called for an early and, most

given in those Returns. -8 cases of murder:

into dwelling bouses: 8 cases of assault with intent to rob: 13 cases of niracy.

otherwise described. Of the first mentioned maintenance of Police Force. No remonstrances dans l'unique, but, &c. &c.

The Resolution was then put and carried by class of cases, as appears from the abstract of from the Community as to its inefficiency, and cause under the cognizance of the Police as to the increased expanditure have been been Mr. D. R. CRAWFORD then proposed the 6th | Magistrates' Court during the year 1870, ed by the Executive. The occupant of the high to no purpose, they still cursed the wrotched published in the Government Gazette, No. 7, of office of Chief Justice has in vain culled attenthe 18th February, there were only forty-seven | tion to the defective organization, corruption in which arrests were made by the Police, and and ignorance of the Force, and illustrated his the Ten Commandments with them, and proif there were convictions in each of the forty- case by the results of his judicial experience. state of affairs in the Colony, to a full explanation seven cases, a result not clearly ascertainable his mouth was shut in the Council Chamber. from the returns themselves, the strong pro- and his representations were ignored. bability is that they were convictions more | 21.-Your Memorialists bez leave to annox properly returnable under the Ordinances pro- hereto a copy of the Resolutions passed at viding for punishment of suspicious characters, Meeting of the non-official Justices of the

> an increase of 78.8 per gent, in serious offences consideration. figures. The difference was in the nature and annexed hereto. 1870, as Your Memorialists gather from Acting | Your Lordship's most carnest consideration for Superintendent Creagh's Report of the 30th these their representations. They pray Your and believing that in the Providence of God I

of preparation for that purpose.

kong Police Force pussed by Sir Richard Graves | affairs. MacDonnell in his enrier despatches and public | addresses, in which he described them as over pray. thoroughly corrupt, and in which be urges that correction and the necessity of removing some at least of the temptations to which the Force was exposed, us the strongest possible argument | The following letter has been addressed done to remedy the corruption complained of, Chamber of Commerce :-His Excellency, in his Despatch No. 831 of the 13th December, 1869, addressed to Your Lordship's predecessor in office, says, "the Police of

12.—No man laboured more strunuously to raise the character of the Force than did Sir lines all my opinion on this subject, reserving to Richard Graves MacDonnell. He gave a con- | myself, if agreeable to you, addressing you stant personal supervision to its working, yet the course of a few days a complete exposition red to, was published.

the newspaper press, in the Legislative Council, were arrested, and after a lengthened investigative vast, and deserves special study; at the same

ittle, if at all, in excess of the population in pointment of a Committee of the Conneil to lish subject. 1861. And forther, that the above increase in inquire into the state of the Police Force, But, finally, is this all P Assuredly not. The the cost of the Police does not represent the pointing out the very serious deficiencies in objections of Sir Bichard MacDonnell continue botal expenditure, large sums being aumually its constitution and organization, and com- in all their force. A [antivo] Custom House spent in buildings, &c., which appear in the plaining at the same time of the suppression or Consular Agent at Hongkong would be Colonial accounts under the head of Works of the Report of Mesere. May, Mitchell, and nothing more nor less than a spy, and the Chi-Smith above referred to. He proposed that a nese population residing there would be at the 5.—That at no former period in the history resolution embodying his anggestions should absolute mercy of the Vicercy at Canton; beof the Colony, not even during the years 1857 be put to the Connoil, and, if approved of that cause no one can change the geographical posiand 1858, at the orisis of the last war with the consideration of the vote for the Police tion of the place, and because the large portion

their complaints and representations which the aubmitted to the Council; His Excellency the not exist at the present time, and will have no

Station. Of the cases reported, not a tenth was knocked down and plundered on the Parade Mr. Dadabeov Mancheniss seconded this. part are ever board of again. There, are few Ground, and with impunity. An assistant in a vear 1870. This was published in the Hong- of many of the principal merchants in the Cokong Government Gasette, No. 25, of the 24th long have been broken into and robbed. Stores June, 1871, and then only, although dated on have been entered and plundered with impunity. ago inflammatory placerds, containing the officials in the yamus told me there were, di- might be unanimously carried, and yet be inthe 30th of the previous January. That Ra None of the property has been recovered. Only vilest calumnies against foreigners, were cir. recting my attention to a few emaciated and valid because the resident and non-resident port condemns the Hongkong Police Force as one of the criminals has been captured, and

Mr. C. H. Morgan proposed the following serious consideration of the state of the Police Lordship's attention to all these things were peaceable. Believing things were peaceable. Believing things were peaceable. Believing things were peaceable. Force, and if anything further had been needed convince Your Lordship that the Police Force this to be true, I resolved to visit the city of years past, and if there had been any it would of any alteration, but on the motion beto induce the Government to give the promptest of the Colony is most inefficient. To prove that Kusheng, where we have one of our most imand most earnest attention to Mr. Deane's re- there is something radically wrong in the system portant stations, and where heretofore we have commendation, it was to be found in the Re- on which the Police Force here has been organ- had no disturbances. On the 29th of August I turns of Crime appended to the Report, imper- ized, and that no mero addition to the number of started from Foocbow, and proceeded safely on feet as they were, and in the conclusions drawn | the men envolled, no increase in the extent of the my journey until 12 p'clock the second day, 8 .- There were reported to the Police in 1870 bined can effect any permanent improvement, the place immediately. We exhorted the pecfor all these measures bave been tried and 192 cases of robbery from the person with found useless. To satisfy Your Lordship that a close and searching inquity is needed into the 240 cases of burglary and forcible entry constitution and working of the Police Force, Government, m'empsche de mentionner ici une lettre que nto the causes that have contributed to its l'or suppose avoir été émite par un des forctionnaires inefficiency; and into the history and circum- de citte Colonic mais qui scruit, pareit il, prise et configravest nature, in addition to 838 cases of remedy, and the best means of applying it. larceny, and 147 cases of a felonious nature not 20 .- Your Memorialists pay heavily fur the jou, on pourrit, il me semble, demander, me emple demander demander demander.

than convictions for the offences themselves Peace held at the Olub House on the 30th day asked for, and then we in our turn asked if wo obtained on the evidence of reliable witnesses. of August last, when plarmed at the state of could get a night's lodging. After much de-Mr. Deanc's report on the Police Force for the Colony, and indignant at the inertness of liberation, one of the oldest men in the 1868, published in the Hongkong Government the local Government, they determined to poti- village said be would give us sholter if wo Gazette of the 17th April, 18 9, is, in its fifteenth tim the Lieutenant-Governor for a Commis- paid him well for it. To this we agreed, and paragraph, eminently auggestive on this point, sion of Inquiry into the state of the Police and immediately proceeded to examine 9.—Your Memorialists again assure Your the causes of the increased prevalence of serious Lordship that the figures given in the Report crimes. Your Lordship will flid annexed for 1870, do not accurately disclose the amount | copy of their address to His Excellency, a copy greater. Neither can Your Memorialists con- come to by the Justices at their Menting chair all night. Early the next morning we curin Mr. Denno's assertion that there had been on the 11th instant, to take that reply into arose and proceeded on our journey, passed over

during that year over the previous year. The 22.-At a Public Meeting held on the 25th amount of crime was undoubtedly less in 1869, day of September instant, at the City Hall but not to the extent indicated by Mr. Denne's Resolutions were passed, copies of which are down the night before. This information rather extent of the records kept by the Police. Until 23. In conclusion, Your Memorialists pray

March, 1870, published in the Hongkong Go- Lordship to disregard any errors of detail they should be protected, I determined to go and see verament Gazette, No. 16, of the 16th April, 1870, may have unintentionally fathen into, but to go no reliable record had been kept of the number int once to the pith and marrow of their comof cases, but he stated that forms were in course | plaint. They pray Your Lordship to move Her most Gracione Majesty The Queen in Council 10.—Whatever improvement there was, or to appoint a Commission composed principally the result not of any improvement in the or- inquire into and report on the past history and genization of the Police Force, or in its offee- present state of the Colony as regards crime. tive strength, but of the deterrent effect of the to examine into the Police law of the Colony. Ordinances providing for Corporal Punishment and into the composition, organization and passed and enforced by Sir Richard Graves | actual cout of the Policy Force, with full pow-MacDonnell: the disallowance of which by Her era to examine witnesses and call for papers, Majesty The Queen, Your Memorialists regret | Your Memorialists representing to Your Lord Lordship of the severe strictures on the Hong- to the admitted ovils of the present state of

> And Your Memorialists as in duty bound will Hongkong, 25th September, 1871.

THE BLOOKADE OF HONGKONG in favor of his system of Licensed Gambling the Baron de Meritens, formerly Commissioner. Houses. Again, in 1869, after much bad been of Castome, to the Chairman of the Hongkong

> Hongkong, 21st Sept., 1871. Sin, - You have been good enough to address me on the subject of the cruisers. ur. more nopinion on the subject. I will endeavour to-day to summarise in a few

origin, point out the author of it, set forth BERLEY, Her Mojesty's Principal Secretary 13.—Your Memorialists would further call repagnance with which the Provincial authori-Your Lordship's attention to paragraph 2 of Ities at Canton have accepted it, the small inthe Report by Acting Captain Superintendent torost which the soi-disant government at mob during the night, to show their ill-feeling TION OF THE INHABITANTS OF THE Creagh, of the 30th March, 1870, already refer. Pekin will derive from it in toto, and finally, towards me. The next day the besiegers blow red to, and to the case mentioned in that not to speak of the interests of this Colony paragraph, commonly spoken of as the "Show- so gravely compromised, of the audacious de- the house. Seeing the determination of the 1. That for many years past the inefficiency | kewan Murder Case." That was a case to the mial of the most elementary rules of internaof the Police Force of this Colony has been a investigation of which the whole force and in- tional law, as well as the forgetfulness of laws

tion were committed, tried and convicted of the time I may be permitted at once to tell you 2.-That various attempts have been made at capital offence, but, before the day fixed for the that I fail to understand in virtue of what prindifferent times by anccessive Covernors of the execution, facts were brought to the knowledge ciple vessels are arrested on the high seas, un-Colony to increase the efficiency of the Police, of the Executive, which threw grave doubts on | der pretext of forcing them to pay import duand satisfy the well grounded requirements of the evidence which had induced the verdict, ties; which at this moment are most certainly the Colonists by extensive changes in the con- The witnesses were put on their trial for per- not payable (exigibles.) If this act were comstitution and composition of the force, by increas jury, and so much came out in the course of the mitted by a particular vessel, it would be again and men, by legislation of an exceptional obs- a Commission of Inquiry was nominated and at the present day, that Import Daty is only

the immediate authority of the Registrar Gene- gialative. Council, nor even privately to the tom House Duty has to be levied there; but Chief Justice, at whose suggestion and on even admitting that this supposition is errore-3. That although the numerical strength of whose statements it was appointed. Your ous, if it was necessary legally to pay duties at

augmented from \$75,418.96 in the former year too in the contrae of the two trials and of the hear- | sense considerations, I take a higher view of Therefore, it appears unfair to ask the off. \$170,005.20 in the house saw that I before the Po- furce, but it is a matter of notoristy, confessed and individually ranh, ignorant of their duty, contradictions not less strange. In the first the Christians then went out and besought lice Force can be put upon a proper tooting, and lamented equally by the Authorities and open to corruption, utterly wanting in discre. place, I find a Vicercy and a Superintendent of by the Inhabitants, that the state of the Police | tion, without discipline, and in a state of dis- Customs discontented at having to obey orders sonable; in the second place I hold that the 4 That your Memorialists would respect. 14. Your Memorialists bog to remind Your desire of what is called the Central Government fully point out for Your Lordship's considera- Lordship in reference to that case, that Mr. to maintain ut any price amicable relations, tion that while the Police expenditure has in. Smale, in his place as a member of the Logis. cannot but be comprehensed every day by orders created 135 per cent. since 1831, and the lative Council handed in a Minute dated the given in a loose manner, and under advice numerical strength of the force has nearly 11th November, 1870, which was placed on re- which I may designate as at least dangerous, doubled the population of the Colony is but gord as of that date, in which he urged the ap- not to say extraordinary, on the part of an Eng-

Gazette, and doubtless on record in Your Lord - 16 - Your Memorialists are now reasing the supposed was written by one of the officials of and stealing from warehouses and godowns, and passes without a burglary, Hardly a day with- interests of this Colony are at stake, it might They are and bave been of daily occurrence, and of the town and in the back atreets, but, in the document in question has been neither comin many, if not in the majority of the cases, no public thoroughfares, in the most central parts municated to the Provincial authorities, nor report is made to the Police, especially on the of the city. transmitted to Pekin with the object to raise part of the Chinese, from the conviction that 17 .- Mr. George L. Tombin, of the Surveyor hopes of the realization of projects which I conthe Force is uncless for detective purposes. General's Department, was recently in a nider impossible, and which, in abort, are no-

(To the Editor of the " N. C. Daily News.")

BARON DE MERITENS. PLACARDS NEAR FOOCHOW.

FOOCHOW, Sept. 8th, 1871.

things in this enlightened Empire. Some time any soldiers to guard the pisce, and one of the be transacted at that meeting. A resolution onlated in Poschow, to excite the people against dejected looking creatures, who were atanding ratepayers were not in the required proportion. us. The first victim to the malice of the enemy. rically weak despite of the enormous annual 18.—It is now dangerous to go out without was an unfortunate seaman, who happened to peans, the mainstay of the force, being given frequent that the first question in the morning suburbs of this city. He was accused by the to excessive drinking, the West Indians being is for the names of the sufferers of the previous people of poisoning the water, and was old match-locks which seemed to belong to should have greater weight than absentees. ties, and the Sikhs and Indians, knowing no Your Memorialists from robbery and violence, seemed to be satisfied when they possessed was that they were per- convey that meaning, and would propose that English, being of little use, except where mere and they have never pretended to any skill as shown their contempt for the foreign barbarisn, and things seemed to be quiet again. The. 19.—Why do Your Memorialists call Your authorities, both Chinese and foreign, assured I put such a question; there had been no such tion, be substituted. * The original text of this portion of the letter run

. Le respect que je projerre pour tout ce qui vieni question on les interêts vitaux de cette Colonie sont en

I ple not to be so violent, as we had come to do then good and not to barm them, but all was burbarian who was nothing better than a dog. Seeing that I could do no good. I left a copy of conded on my journey until sunset, when we l called at a little village to make enquiries about n night's lodging. Before we had time to anpronch the place we were met by a number of men, who looked at me with grave suspicion. Our names, places of abode and, business, were house in which we were to take up our abode for the ni ht. It was a wretched old hovel, without a board or a little straw on which we of crime committed in that year. It was much of the reply, and a copy of the Resolutions could lie so I was compelled to sleep in my left us in greater danger, after trying to some very high mountains, and at 4 o'clock in the afternoon we met a man from Kucheng.

trials. As it was getting dark when we were drawing near Kucheng. I thought it better to laws to the semi-civilized than to try to please stop at a small inn for the night, and enter them by pandering to their cunning, selfish the city in daylight. Early the following mornappeared to be, in 1869 over previous years, was of non-official members of the Community, to ing, having settled the reckoning, we proceeded. on our way. When we approached the city, all all our chapels pulled down and converts beaten things seemed to be quiet; and I was per- and persecuted. How is it possible for committed to visit both our own chapel and that of the American Episcopal Methodists, so pourly governed that a vile placard, got up without molestation. Having transnoted some by a few wicked men, will endanger the life of mission business; and withessed the ruins of the chapels, I committed the people to the care hope that the time may soon come when there ship that thus only will Your Lordship arrive of God and started for Augtong, where during will be a change for the better. Yours truly, 11.—Your Memorialists would ramind Your at a knowledge of the remedies to be applied the past few years many devoted men have embraced the Christian faith. When on my way I heard that no disturbance bad taken the steamer. place there, and so I folt enre that all things were right, but to my great astonishment when I arrived there, I found that the foundations of Rev. Mr. Muhood recounting the attack in a church, which the people were building for themselves to worship in, bad been torn up, and the house of the convert who first embraced Mubaod states that bitherto the people in Christianity in the neighbourhood bad been the district of Ku-cheng bave been extremely robbed. While I was talking to the people about what had happened; a number of men upwards of 130 have embraced the Christian assembled around the Christian's house in which I was stopping, and began to abuse demanded that he should accompany them to me as a wicked barbarian whose life they the Official at Ku-cheng, and have "the case the Colony has never been so effective as is de- curately speaking, the complete blockade of this were determined to take. For some time tried," being fully under the impression that sirable, and means of improving it would be a Colony by the Chinese gunboate, and toask my the mob continued to increase; and, having they would behead or imprison him. "The armed themselves with all sorts of knives people," he says, "are so ignorant of our treaty and weapons, they placed a guard round the rights that they think the officers would behend

to think what was best to be done. At last,

when I thought that I was in the path of duty

house, so that I could not make my escape. I any foreigner for the slightest offence." He in resolved several times to make a rush through believes the officials at the Yamens are greatly their midst and try to escape; but the Obris- to blame for this, as they try to exalt them. within twelve months after his departure from (étudo) of this very interesting but complicated time gathered around me and entreated me not selves in the estimation of the people by speak-to do so, as the people had determined to kill ing contemptations. I shall have in fact to go back to its me if I ventured out in the dark. I took their Mr. Mahood, in the letter just received, notes advice and remained in the house all night, that the Protestant chapel at Sek-paik-tu, The chair in which I rode was smashed by the was also attacked, on the 2nd justant. The their horn and gave the signal to drawer nearer 5th instant, one of his most devoted Christians enemy, I joined the Christians in prayer to the following remarks:---God that be might frustrate their design. In a short time after, one of the besiegers, a

deceptive looking oreature, came and offered us the terms for our expitulation. He said that if I were willing to pay \$200, timber which had been purchised for the building of the church, they would permit me to leave without any injury. To this the Christians objected, for as we had done nothing wrong we had no right to pay them, any money. When this proposal was made, the tragedy committed by the brigands in Greece flashed across my mind. I had no money with me, and thought my best plan was to send one of the one of the most important in this province) were thirty-three of the most degraded looking wretches that wan ever witnessed. When

them not to do so, as we had done LANDRENTERS MEETING AT CANTON no injury to them. The loading man amongst the enemy declared that the chief fault against | Ranters was held at H. B. M.'s Consulate, Canus was that we were going to build a house ton, on the 25th of September.

pany the Ohristians to Kucheng, not knowing man Consul's remarks, that the bye-law re-Obina, bare life and property in Hongkong Department," the Estimates for 1871 being of the Chinese established at Hongkong having what might befull me by the way, but relying quiring all Chinese passing through the settlea band of faithful unflinding Obristians follow. show that such a regulation was necessary, the thirsty, under a burning sun, we travelled along a passed to provide against any future continmost wretobed pathway for fifteen miles, and at geney; at present it need not be enforced, but within half a mile of the city, a man on the lation to fall back upon in the event of bid headed from hoe, but fortunately he missed his Another objection, that there did not exist mark; a second time he struck at me I was able; sufficient restriction to prevent the possibility existence except in the regions of speculative to ward off the blaw, and then the Christians of fanciful squandering of public funds, would ran between. Seeing the vindictiveness of this be met by the addition of a clause limiting the 6. That'in the first place Your Memorialists Smale's Resolution, and a vote of \$172,395.20 The respect which I entertain for everything man, and hearing the people cry out after me expenditure of the Municipal Council to and such a state of things cannot conduce to the would assure Your Lordship that the annual re- for the Police Expenditure of 1871, passed mis which emanates from the Government prevents all sorts of names. I walked on us quickly as the amount raised by the assessment my here making mention of a letter which it is possible, so as not to give time to the people to voted at the general annual meeting. assemble, and when I came near the city gate I Mr. Hutchiuson proposed, and Mr. Thomas ship's office, are of little value as a means of fruits of the indifference of the Executive to Mr. this Colony, but which it appears was " private made a catechist who accompanied me go on seconded, that the land regulations and byes synth themselves of this kind of information, reasons why the doministion should consist of said made a rush for the laws as already circulated among the landand power is thus not into the hards of wags. non-officials, and should have the fullest powers and power is thus not into the hards of wags. non-officials, and should have the fullest powers of the real nature and extent of the laws as already circulated among the landand power is thus not into the hards of wags. non-officials, and should have the fullest powers of the real nature and extent of the laws as already circulated among the landand power is thus not into the hards of wags. non-officials, and should have the fullest powers of the real nature and extent of the laws as already circulated among the landand power is thus not into the hards of wags. non-officials, and should have the fullest powers of the real nature and extent of the laws as already circulated among the landand power is thus not into the hards of wags. non-officials, and should have the fullest powers of the real nature and extent of the laws as already circulated among the landand power is thus not into the hards of wags. non-officials, and should have the fullest powers of the real nature and extent of the laws as already circulated among the a long street for about half it mile, and then geated by H.M.'s Consul. These were: An made a rush into the yamun, and we had addition to the Regulation XV. making the robberies from the person, with or without vic- out its report of some one baving been knocked be desirable to ask for some enquiry with the only just got in when a multitude assembled Council liable to be sucd through its Secretary in lence, are the offences of most frequent occurrence. down and robbed, and this not in the lower parts single object of ascertaining for instance; if the around the door. 'A few hours before a house H.M.'s Consular Court by any person who may of one of the Christians had been partly pulled | deem himself injured by an act of the Council or down and plundered; to the people were its officers; and two regulations, one having all on the more. When the officer heard reference to the registration of transfers of that I had come for his protection he came land, and the other to the conditions under out and treated me very kindly, and when which land may be held by subjects or citizens he beardy our story ha declared that the of any power other than Great Britain. whole affair was nothing less than a horrible personation of good men who were never before proposition that in bye-law No. 17 the words

> would diminish the officer got a chair for me meeting, and surried by a majority of five. and one for himself, and endeavoured to take | Mr. Sampson asked for an explanation of the me on my way through the city, but no sooner | Clause. Regulation VII., "All resolutions bad I got the door than the stones began to passed by a majority at any such public meetfly in all directions, the top of my chair was ing; on all such matters aforesaid, shall be completely amashed over my head, and the valid and binding on the whole of the rate authority of the officer was set at defiance, payers, provided not less than two-thirds of Sceing that it was impossible for me to make ratepuyors present be resident within the Bri-DEAB SIE -I send you a brief account of a my escape, I got out of my chair and rushed tieb Concession." This would make it appear missionary tour at Poochow, which may help back into the yaman, the doors of which were that if more than one-third of the meeting to throw a little light on the present state of immediately closed. I then asked if there were were non-resident ratepayers, no business could behind the door in perfect agony for fear the Mr. Thomas stated that the intention of this mob would make a rush upon them. I saked | regulation was to put more power in the hands and was told that they had nothing but a few terested in the improvements of the place, feetly harmless. I next next dif they had any the words two thirds of the resident rateammunition, but they seemed astoniahed when payers present should conour in the resolushort distance when we came to a small inn man the meeting displyed.

passers-by, and there the vigilant voterans deposited their old match-looks, to be kept until they returned When we came to the next inn the old knives which had been foraged out the night before, were similarly deposited. We travelled 30 miles that day, and at 4 o'clock we arrived at Chuikan, where some thousands of people assembled around me and tried to throw me into the river, but fortunately we got safely into the boat and kept a little distance from shore. The soldiers who came to guard me; when they saw me surrounded by a mob cursing and using all morts of vilo language, compelled me to give them the most of the money I had with me, and when I was in the greatest danger they fled from me and left mo to do the best I could. The only one who remained with me was a brother of one of the Obristians. In our greatest extremity those who ought to have been our protectors squeeze money out of us. The officers provided us with chair coolies, but when they found us

in danger they compelled us to pay them twice over. I pray that no other foreigners may be who told us that our chapel had been pulled so unfortunate as to need the protection of Obinese eddiers again. I have experienced the startled ins. I stood and paused for a moment protection which this country can afford. I am quite sure that if our Foreign Minister were placed under the same discipline, he would soon change his policy in making treaties with semi-civilized nations. It would be found much the Christians and try to obeer them in their more beneficial to mankind for the governments of civilized countries to dictate right and avaricious suggestions. I enclose you a copy of the vile placard which has got almost merce or Christianity to succeed in a country every foreigner in China! Let us sincerely

JOHN ED. MAHOOD I bave written this hastily, to be in time for

The Daily Press received a letter from the nearly the same terms as those in which it was narrated in the N. C. Daily News. Mr. devoted, and that within the last three years religion. - He also states that the rioters

roof-was broken in, and books, seats, and everything within it were carried away; and on the was beaten almost to death. He concludes with

Our Christians have been beaten, robbed, and driven from their homes, and when seeking shelter, money has been extorted from them by the servants of that Government which pretends to be their protector. And all this has and give them permission to carry away the been done to men who defy the world to accuse them of a single crime. Our chapele have been left in desolation, books and furniture have been torn away by the rabble, and all this because a few placards, got up by some malicious men at Canton, have been giroulated sit Foochow. Prince Kung wants to banish foreigners from the interior by using subtle diplomacy and false accusations, and some of the people a cheque was of no value, and I know that are trying to do it by brute force. Our treaty if I gave them \$200 they would decorated rights both to merchants and Missionaries more. Seeing that they were so deprayed I have been violated times without number, and vet our protectors here, and our Government Obnetians who was unknown to the people in at home, declare to the public that everything the city of Kucheng, and ask the officers if they is going on remarkably well in the east. The could send me may help. This I afterwards rights which we have gained as British-subfound was quite impossible for the officers to jects by the death of many of our bruve soldiers, do, for all the soldiers in the district (which is are about to be tom from us by false diplomacy. But let us hope that the time may soon come, when the eyes of foreign ministers will be open, to see the necessity for great caution in making treaties with a nation, where the deepest duplicity is concealed under the garb

Minutes of a Meeting of Shamien Land

which, if we were permitted to accomplish, the Present : Messrs, P. J. Hughes, H. M.'s Conwhole neighbourhood would embrace our vile | sul, in the Chair; Blancheton, Consul for religion. I may say that within the last three France; G. M. Smith, Hutchison, Thomas, years, upwards of 120 have embraced the Gospel Coars, Gepp, Sampson, Gifford, Chalmers, Bowin that district. The next demand the besiegore | ra, Meetern, W. Smith, Lavysohn, and Brenan made was that I should accompany them to the The Chairman read the Circular calling officer at Kucheng and have the case tried. I the Meeting. He stated that the draft of the have heard since, that their chief reason for Regulations proposed by the Municipal Coundoing this, was, that the people at Kucheng cit had been torwarded to his colleagues, whom might murder me before I got to the yaman, he bad invited to be present. The French Confor the night before the Angtong people had sent kindly accepted his invitation, and he resent to Kucheng to tell those who had pulled ceived letters from the North German Consul down our brapels; that they had caught the head | and United States' Consul, excusing their ab of the Christian sect.

I accepted the proposal and agreed to accom- and, with reference to one of the North Gerupon the protection of the Almighty. I mar- ment at night to carry lantorns was somewhat obed like a condemned criminal in front, with stringent, and that previous experience did not ing after, and the accusers in the rear. Tired and Obairman remarked that the bye-law could be last came in night of Kusheng. When we were | it would be an advantage to have such a reguway side attempted to kill me with a heavy characters frequenting the settlement at night,

Mr. Bowra moved as an amendment to the accused of any prime! When we had waited | tracking or propelling boats from the Bund" about an hour to see whether the crowd be struck out. The amendment was put to the

he quite useless for the guns could never fire. ing seconded by Mr. Gopp and put to the The love of life often emboldens a person when meeting, it was carried. With these amendin danger to say things which under ordinary ments Mr. Hutchison's original proposition circumstances he would never think of, so I was passed, with only one dissentient, and accontinued my enquiry and asked if they had cordingly the Regulations and bye-laws are to This was received with lond applicate, and by the Obief of the Police from the figures appliances placed at their disposal, no legisla- when I was attacked by a number of villagers, part awards or other implements of warfare to be submitted for approval to H.B.M's. Minister. tion merely punitive, nor all these things com- who threatened me with death if I did not leave frighten the people, but I found that all the The Chairman said that the next business of implements they had were old, rusted, pointless the meeting was to elect a member of the Mu. knives, which were so out of order and so use | nicipal Council, or Committee of land renters. less that they would have no effect in frighten- in the place of Mr. Coare, whose approaching ing the mob. I, then quite agreed with the departure was about to cause a vacancy in the men in the yamun, that it was better to give Council. The names of the gentlemen sligible the people their way so long as they left us for election were read. A ballot was then untouched. I took up my abode for the night taken, and Mr. Gepp was elected. A vote of stances of crime in the Colony, with a view to destielle. If me m' appartient pas de pier une affirma, in the yamon, and early the next morning he | thanks to the retiring member of the Council. fore daybreak I left the city, accompanied by a Mr. Coare, was proposed by Mr. Thomas, sc. few of the veteran soldiers whom I have men- donded by Mr. G. M. Smith, and carried by uc. Insurances.

tf 366 Hongkong, 7th February, 1867.

PACIFIC INSURANCE COMPANY

ing Marine Risks at the Current Rates.

tf 573 Hongkong, 2nd March, 1867.

YANG-TSZE INSURANDE ASSOCIA-

TION OF SHANGHAL.

parts of the World, at current rates.

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BATAVIA SEA AND FIRE INSURANCE

114 1080 Hongkong, 1st January, 1870.

tf 1022 Hongkong, 1st April, 1865.

tf 696 Hongkong, 7th April 1868.

NOTICE.

L for SHORT PERIOD Insurances, viz:-

tf 242 Hongkong, 22nd January, 1870.

OAPITAL, TWO MILLION STEELING.

THE Undersigned having been appointe

tf 241 Hongkong, 22nd January, 1870.

SURANCE COMPANY.

No. 11. LOMBARD STREET, LONDON, E.C.

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And empowered by special Acts of Parliament

Subscribed Capital - \$2,000,000; Sterling:

THE Undersigned having been duly appointed

L' Agente for the above Company, are pre-

pared to take risks against Fire, on the usual

tf 2317 Hongkong, 7th December, 1869.

IMPERIAL PIRE INSURANCE COMPAN

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tf 864 Hongkong, 7th March, 1865,

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TORTH BRITISH AND MERCANTIL

INSURANCE COMPANY.

REDUCTION IN THE RATES OF PREMIUM.

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1 886 Hongkong, 10th March, 1865.

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Not exceeding Ten days tof the annual rates

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.,

Agents, Alliance Fire Assurance Company 11 678 Hongkong, 26th August, 1869

PHENIX FIRE INSURANCE COMPAN

THE Undersigned having been appointed

Agenta to the above Company at this

Port, are prepared to grant Policies against

of 717 Honglong, 9th November, 1868.

IMPERIAL FIRE INSURANCE

COMPANY.

THE Undersigned having been appointed

the extent of \$60,000 on Buildings, or on Goods

BOYAL INSURANCE COMPANY.

THE annual rates for Fire Insurance on the

L various classes of Buildings and their con-

tents will remain as follows until further no-

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The following rates will be charged for SHORT PERIOD Policies:—

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tf 1763 Hongkong, 18th September, 1869.

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INSURANCE COMPANY.

Agenta in Hongkong for heabove Com-

UNIVERSAL MARINE INSURANCE

COMPANY, LIMITED, (OF LONDON).

tf 471 Hongkoug, 6th March, 1868.

437 Hongkong, 9th March, 1871.

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Current rates.

tf Hongkong, 24th August, 1864.

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Wynaud FOKINKS, double Orange OURA-AL LAMMERT, ATKINSON & Co. 11 907 Hongkong, 25th May, 1871. FOR BALE. OHAMPAGNE:-OEDERER CARTE NOIR.

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DU RODDKRER CARTE BLANCHE ROEDERER CARTE BLANCH! ROEDERER GLADIATEUR. SANDER & Co. Sole Agents for Hongkong and China. tf 1694 Hongkong 3rd September, 1869. FOR SALE.

500 CASKS best PORTLAND CEMENT. FREDERIC DEGENAER 2m 1541 Hongkong, 8th September, 1871. Notices of Firms.

THE interest and responsibility of Mr. DEFRIES in our firm ceased from this E. ESTABICO & Co. tf 1553 Hougkong, let September, 1871. THE Undersigned has this day commenced business in this Oclony as GENERAL COMMISSION AGENT under the style of DA SILVA & CO.

P. F. DA BILVA. Ground floor of Honorous Hotel, ti 1488 Hongkong, 1st September, 1871. MR. SAML. WYLLYS POMEROY, JR., have

been admitted partners in our firm. RUSSELL & Co. Sm 1213 China, July 1st, 1871. A R. WILLIAM HENRY MOORE and MR. YL OTTO FRIEDRICE, have this day been admitted partners in our firm: LAMMEET, ATKINSON & Co.

tf 1258 Hongkong, 30th June, 1870. TRE WILLIAM ABBOTT TURNBULL is authorised to sign our firm from this

BIRLEY, WORTHINGTON & Co.

ti 829 Shanghai, Lit May, 1871. FIHE interest and responsibility of Mr. J. A Kock in our firm, deased on the 28th of July by mutual consent, and we shall carry on our business, as hitherto, under the same style. J. SMITH & Co.

tf 1410 Chefoo, 6th August, 1871. THE Undersigned having this day entered into partnership as Merchants and Commission Agents, will conduct their business under the name and etyle of NORTON,

LYALL & Co. EDWARD NORTON. ROBERT LYALL. ti I Hongkong, 1st January, 1871, FIRE Undersigned have to day established at FIRE Undersigned having, been appointed this place & GENERAL COMMISSION AGENCY BUSINESS, in connection

WINDSOR, REDLICH & Co. DANIEL T. WINDSOR. ALEXIS REDLICH. Bangkok, Siam, 15th August, 1871. [3m 1389

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Green CABBAGE, dried (Getrockneter Grun

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LIEBIG'S BEEF-EXTRACT.

Best Hamburg BEEF and PORK.

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public of Hongkong, will exert himself to the BY FIRM. ntmost of his power to please his patrons, and | The Undersigned, Agents for the above Commake them comfortable. He will likewise pay pany, are prepared to grant Policies against strict attention to any suggestions that Ladies FIRE to the extent of \$60,000 oh any one First or Gentlemen may offer him, and hopes thereby Class Risk. to be favoured again with the patronage he enjoyed formerly. W.B .- All receipts will be signed by Mr. F. W. G. YON STOCKHAUSEN, who likewise will sign all orders for stores of any kind required

not ordered by him cannot be guaranteed. 1m 1490 Hongkong, 1st September, 1871. BAIL MAKING. WILLIAM DOLAN baying returned to Hongkong, has resumed his business of SAIR MAKING in all its branches, at his old place in Duddell Street, and solicite the patronage of the Public. He has on hand a fine assortment of 8 and 10

for the Hotel. The payment for any articles

onnoe RAVINS DUCK, suitable for Boat Sails and not exceed- 6 .. 1 do. do. or Awnings. t! 858 Hongkong, 30th April, 1869 THE undersigned begs to inform the Public L that he has all sorte of Old OIGARS HAVANA, CAVITE and MANILIA, in amal and large boxes, best TOBACCO, and prepar-

ed TOBACCO for Sale at an agreeable prices. For particulars, apply to KWONG YUEN HING, No. 61, Queen's Road; Next to the entrance of the Central Market. 6m 1464 Hongkong, 29th August, 1871.

WING-KEE COAL SHOP. FINE Proprietor of WING-MES Shop bega to established since 1855 at Endicott's Loss, and I Agents of the above Company, are pre- Port, Shanghai, Foochow, Hankow, and Yokothat he has always a great quantity of Best pared to inside Marine Policies on the usual hama, are prepared to accept Marine Risks at Captain Mann, will have quick despatch for the will load here and at Whampon for the above COAL in store for Sale. Gentlemen or Ship- terms to the extent of £19,000, on any first Current Rates. masters washing to patronico him, are requested to apply at his Shop.
1y 699 Hongkong 24th April, 1871.

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OSSES payable without extra charge in SAN FRANCISCO. NEW YORK, LI. VERPOOL, or LONDON. MERCHANDISE with average adoctited at current rates by STEAMERS and strictly A1 SAILING VESSELS. OVERLAND BAILROAD. Risks Free of Particular average accepted from SAN FRANCISCO to any city in the UNITED STATES not south of ST. LOUIS by RAIL, at one half per cent. net.

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Société anonyme libre au Capital de 6,000,000 de france (un quart versa.) THIS Company, being associated for pur-poses of Marine Insurance in the Fai LILOYD FRANCAIS, Capital of 6,000,000 fres. And with the CIE FRANCAISE D'ASSUBANCES MARITIMES,

Capital of 5,000,000 free. Offers to the Assured the Security of a collective Agencies established, and Policies made payable in Lyons, Paris, London, Marseilles, Company, are prepared to grant Policies gainst the Hon. J. PAUNCEFOTH. Calcutta, Bombay, Yokohama, Hongkong and Sea Risks at current rates. The undersigned having been appointed

Agents in China for the above-named Company, are prepared to accept Marine ricks, loreign or coastwise, at current rates. RUSSELL & Co. tf 1377 Hongkong, 23rd July, 1870. CHINA AND JAPAN MARINE INSURANCE COMPANY. THIS Company grants Policies on Marine ing.

Risks at the established local Rates, to Above 8 months and not exceed. 56 .. 1 do. do. all narts of the World. In addition to the usual brokerage, thirty ing...... Above 6 months the full annual rate. per Cent. (30%) of the Profite will he returned as Bonus to all contributors of business, whe-Yorth British & Mercantile Insurance Company ther Shareholders or not, rateably in proportion to the amount of Net Premis contributed. No Policy Fees charged. WM. PUSTAU & Co., THE QUEEN INSURANCE COMPANY.

tf 1402 Hongkong, 27th July, 1870, HE following rates will be charged in future LONDON AND ORIENTAL STEAM TRANSIT INSURANCE OFFICE. Not exceeding 10 days, I of the annual rate. 197, LEADENHALL STREET, LORDON. Not exceeding 1 month, 1 do. do. ESTABLISHED 1843. THE Undersigned is authorised to scoop risks on behalf of this Office, by First Class Steamers and Sailing Ships.

A MOTVER Agent. tf Hongkong, let July, 1867. LONDON ASSURANC THE QUEEN INSURANCE COMPANY INCORPORATED BY ROYAL CHARTER HIS MAJESTY KING GEORGE THE PIEST, A.D. 1720.

THE undersigned having been appointed Agents for the above Corporation, are propered to grant Insurances as follows MARINE DEPARTMENT. Policies at current rates, payable either here, n London, or at the principal Ports of India, Ohina, and Australia. FIRE DEPARTMENT. Policies issued for long or short periods at LIFE DEPARTMENT. Policies issued for same not exceeding £5,000 on reasonable terms. HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co. tf. 1927 Hongkong, 1st November, 1870. THE LIVERPOOL AND BOMBAY

COMPANY. THE undersigned having been appointed Agents for the above Company at this port, are prepared to grant Policies against Marine Risks at current rates. HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co. tf 777 Hongkong, 25th April 1870. MANCHESTER FIRE ASSURANCE COM

TRADERS INSURANCE

PANY OF MANCHESTER AND LONDON. INHE Undersigned have been appointed Agenta for the above Company at Hongkong, Cantog, Foschow, Shanghai, and Henkow, and are propared to grant Insurances Current Rates. HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co.

tf 1958. Hongkong, 15th October, 1868. MERCHANTS MUTUAL MARINE NSURANCE COMPANY OF SA FRANCISCO. -ENGAGED EXCLUSIVELY IN MARINE

INSURANCE. Paid up Capital \$500,000.00,

HE Undersigned having been duly appointed Agents of the above Company, are prepared to accept Marine Binks on the nava OLYPHANT & Co.

tf 1292 Hongkong, 2nd July, 1869. OCEAN MARINE INSURANCE COMPANY, LONDON, INCOMPORATED 1859. CAPITAL. 21,000,000.

TARE Undersigned having been appointed Agents for the above Company, are propared to scoopt Marine Risks and issue Policies to 1851 Hongkong, 7th June, 1867. NOTICE.

BRITISH AND FOREIGN MARINE INSURANCE COMPANY LIMITED. Agents of the above Insurance Com-Fire to the extent of \$40,000, on Buildings, or pany, are prepared to issue Policies against a Steam Rice-Kill, under the style and Marine risks on Freight and Cargo, at Current on Goods stored therein. vates, subject to a discount of 15 %. BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE

tf 1753 Hongkong, 1st October, 1870. IMPERIAL FIRE INSURANCE CO. BUR Insuring Houses and other Buildings' Goods, Wares, Merchandise, Manufactur nig and Farming Stock, Ships in Port, Har THIS Hotel is leased from this date by LEE bones, or Door, and the Cargoes of such Ships; A.FONG, and will remain under the and other Vessels on Navigable Rivers and throughout Great Britain and Ireland, and in The Lessee, who is already known to the FOREIGN COUNTRIES, FROM LOSSION DAMAGE

GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co. Holigkong, Ist January, 1867. NOTICE.

IMPERIAL FIRE OFFICE. TABOM and after this date the following rates will be charged SHORT PERIOD Insurances, viz:-Not exceeding Ten days & of the annual rate Not exceeding I month I of the annual rate Above I month, and not axoeed > 8 . do. do. Above 8 months

Above 6 months the full annual rate. GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co., Agents, Imperial Fire Insurance Company. ti 678 Hongkong, 18th August, 1869. THE ROYAL EXCHANGE ASSUBANCE OF LONDON. THE Undereigned having been appointed FINE Undersigned having been appointed Agents of the above Corporation, are prepared to grant Policies against Fire at current many, are prepared to grant Marine risks at Butterfield & Swire.

Agents, 4, Prayu.

HONGKONG INSURANCE COMPANY. inform the Public that his Shop has been | THE undersigned having been appointed | Agents for the above Company at this A. G. HOGO & Co.

tf 588 Hongkong, 17th March, 1869.

tf 1569 Hongkong, 26th August, 1870.

llouses, Lands, Tenements, &c. PACIFIC INSURANCE COMPANY. SAN FRANCISCO. TO LET. TO LET. THE Undersigned, Agents for the above Company, are propared to grant POLICIES.

TAIVE Granite GODOWNS, situated Praya Bast uninet Fire on Buildings and Goods at carrent For particulars, apply to TANG LOK, of Yuen Chang Shop, Queen's Road East, Hongkong. 1m 1637 Hongkong, 27th September, 1871.

FEW large and well ventilated ROOMB, THE Underwighed having been appointed A furnished or unfurnished, situate in Hol-Agents in China for the above Indusance lywood Road, Apply to COMPANY, are prepared to grant Policies cover-HOTEL D'EUROPE. im 1585 Hongkong, 18th September, 1871.

With immediate possession. THE Ground-floor of our PREMISES facing Queen's Road DOLICIES granted on Marine Rieles to all SANDER & Co. tf 1505 Hongkong 5th September, 1871. In addition to the usual brokerage, this Asso-HOUSES TO LET. of its yearly profits, divided pro rate to the net

IN various Parts of Hongkong. A list of HOUSES with size, locality and forms can be seen at No. 47; Wyndham Street. THOS. W. BARRINGTON. tf 642 Hongkong, 11th March, 1867. TO LET.

With possession early in April.

THAT very desirable RESIDENCE, Glan-Agents in Hongkong for the above-named I seakin House, now in the occupation of For particulars, apply to ROB. B. WALKER & Co. tf 434 Hongkong, 10th March, 1871; TO LET.

THE Commodions GODOWNS, Business THOM and after this date the following rates PREMISES and RESIDENCE, formerwill be charged on SHORT PERIOD v cocupied by Messrs. MELOHERS & Co., situated at the junction of Graham and Wel-Not exceeding I month tof the annual rate ken in March next. Apply to T. G. LINSTEAD. tf 182 Hongkong, 30th January, 187L

TO BE LET. THE commodious Offices and Godowns formerly in the occupation of Mesers. HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co., situated on Marine Lot 11, and fronting the Praya. Possession an be had on 1st April next. For particulars of rent, &c. Apply to TURNER & Co.

tf 76 Hougkong, 13th January, 1871. THREE first-class two story GODOWNS, situate on Inland lot No. 73, opposite Fletcher & Co.'s old premises, at present in cosupation of the Military. Possession can be had early in February.

Apply to HIRIOTOR & Co. tf 183 Hongkong, 30th January, 1871. Agents the Queen Insurance Company TO LET. (With possession on 1st January, 1871). THAT very decirable BUNGALOW, situate At Polofoolum, and known as "BEL MONT," at present in the occupation of MENKE, Esq. Bowling Alley, Coach House, 4 stalled Stable, &c., attached. Water laid on.

Agent for the above Company at this port, is prepared to grant Policies against Fire, CILMAN & Co. to the extend of £10,000, on Buildings or on tf 2192 Hongkong, 17th December, 1870. TRIEST-OLASS Granite GODOWNS. THE QUARDIAN FIRE AND LIFE AS-ROB. S. WALKER & Co. tf 41 Hongkong, 9th January, 1871.

> TO LET TAIRST-OLASS Granite GODOWNS, P Wanchai, from 12 to 30,000 piouls of pa city. Apply to 8. E. BUBROWS & SONS. Hongkong, 17th September, 1869. TAKASIMA COLLIERY, NAGASAKI.

THE Undersigned are prepared to supply Coals from the Takasima Colliery (8 foot seam), in quantities as required, to be delivere on board ship in this Harbor. Note. The Specific Gravity of Takasime toal is 1.245, it contains 82.07 per cent. o. Carbon, and is admitted to be fully equal to the best English North Country Coal for steaming and all other purposes. GLOVER & Co.

Agent in Hongkong, NORTON, LYALL & Co. tf 1951 Nagasaki, Japan, October, 1870.

ESTATE OF WILLIAM BALFOUR KINNEAR, Esq., Deceased.

LL persons having claims against the A. Estate of the late WM. B. KINNEAR late of Foochow, deceased, are requested to send particulars thereof to the Undersigned on or before the 1st October next, otherwise such claim will not be admitted. All persons indebted to, or holding funds or property of the said WM. B. KINNEAR, are requested communicate as soon; as possible with th HENRY LOWCOCK.

Attorney for GROEGE THOMAS KINNSAR! Sols Executor. tf 1454 Hongkong, 26th August, 1871. HAWKINS'S HORSE REPOSITORY,

Rear of Murray Barracks, Hongkong.

LYORSES received on LIVERY.

Horses BROKEN to Harness. HORSES, PONIES, HABNESS and OAR RIAGES, for Sale. Also. Bent quality of HAY. OATS, GRAM BARLEY, and Indian COBN, for Sale. HORSES and CARRIAGES for Hire. PONIES do. do. HORSE SHOEING on the most improved principles, under his own superintendence. (Late Farrier-Major, Bengal Horse Artillery) N.H .- All Diseases of the Horse attended to

tf 559 Hongkong, 11th August, 1871.

Vessels on the Berth. STEAM TO SHANGHAL THE P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Steamship

"AUSTRALIA." Agents of the above Company at this Port, will leave for the above place on or about the are prepared to grant Policies against Fire to A. McIVER, Superintendent P. & O. S. N. Co's Office. Hongkong, 28th September, 1871. [tf 1636 STEAM TO YOKOHAMA THE P. & O. S. N. Co.'s steamship

"MADRAS." will leave for the above place shortly after the arrival of the next English Mail. A. MolVER, Superintendent P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Office, Hongkong, 27th Beptember, 1871. [tf. 1634 FOR MANILA. Dwelling Houses (removed from | percent | THE Steamship

Captain Punchard, will have immediate des-I percent patch for the above Port. For Freight or Passage, apply to DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co. *tf 1635 Hongkong, 27th September, 1871: STEAM TO SHANGHAL

> "SUNDA." willleave for the above place shortly after the arrival of the next English Mail. A. MoIVEB, Superintendent. P. & O. S. N. Co. a Office, Hongkong, 25th September, 1871; [tf 1623

STEAM TO SINGAPORE AND BOMBAY, (Calling at Point de Galle if necessary.) HE P. & O. S. N. Oo.'s Steamship. " BEHAR,"

will leave for the above places with immediate A. MoIVER, Superintendent, P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Office. Hongkong, 25th September, 1871. [tf 1624 FOR SHANGHAL THE Undersigned having been appointed THE Steamship

> For Freight or Passage, apply to AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co. tf 1605 Hongkong, 22nd September, 1871.

Vessels on the Berth.

FOR SHANGHAI, TIENTSIN, AND CHEFOO. THE British Steamer · Enterprise. shortly expected from Singapore, will have quick despatch as above.

For Freight or Passage, apply to GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co. if 1606 Hongkong, 22nd September, 1871 FOR YOKOHAMA. THE British Barque

"JANET HOLT." Captain McDonald, will have immediate des For Freight, apply to THE BORNEO CO., LIMITED. 7d 1651 Hongkong, 28th September, 1871. FOR SAN FRANCISCO. THE A 1 American Clipper-ship

Willoomb, Master, will have early desputch as For Freight or Passage, apply to H 1652 Hongkong, 28th September, 1871.

FOR KEELUNG. THE American Barque "AUDAX." Robertson, Master, will be despatched for the shove port on 2nd Proximo.

For Freight, apply to RUSSELL & Co. tf 1653 Hongkong, 28th September, 1871. FOR LONDON. With immediate despatch. THE A I British Barque

"ELFIN." Gas and Water laid on. Possession may be Capt. Beer, has room for a limited amount of and Cargo, will leave this for the above places Apply to CARLOWITZ & Co.

tf 1657 Hongkong, 28th September, 1871 FOR SINGAPORE. THE Norwegian Brig STORD."

will sail the 4th of October, for the above por For Freight, apply to JOHN BURD & Co tf 1646. Hongkong, 28th September, 1871 FOR MANILA. THE Spanish Brig

" VILLA DE RIVADAVIA. Captain Castillo, will be despatched for the above port on or about the 2nd proximo. For Freight or Passage, apply to BRANDAO & Co. tr 1647 Hongkong, 28th Beptember, 167. FOR DUNEDIN (N.Z.) AND MELBOURN

HE Clipper Bhip "WHIRLWIND." Capt. Graham, having the greater portion her Cargo and Passengers sugaged, will ha mmediate despatch for the above ports. For Freight or Passage, apply to

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Spearwater, Master, will have quick despate for the above port. For Freight, apply to OLYPHANT & Co tf 1607 Hongkong, 22nd September, 1871 FOR HAMBURG (direct).

THE German 8 masted Schooner BERTHA. Rose, Master, will load as above at Whampos | KONG." Commandant Bouggon, with MAILS. and Macao, and have quick despatch.

For Freight, apply to WM. PUSTAU & Co. tf 1611 Hongkong, 22nd September, 187 FOR NEW YORK THE A 1 British Ship "LORD MACAULBY."

Care, Master, will load at Whampon, and h immediate despatch as above.
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